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Shum Chun	7.40	10.14	11.29	12.59	2.14	5.34	6.29	8.09
Shum Chun	7.50	10.24	11.39	13.09	2.24	5.44	6.39	8.19

Station	Dep.	Arr.	Dep.	Arr.	Dep.	Arr.	Dep.	Arr.
Shum Chun	7.50	10.24	11.39	13.09	2.24	5.44	6.39	8.19
Shum Chun	8.00	10.34	11.49	13.19	2.34	5.54	6.49	8.29
Fanning	8.10	10.44	11.59	13.29	2.44	6.04	6.59	8.39
Tai Po Market	8.20	10.54	12.09	13.39	2.54	6.14	7.09	8.49
Tai Po	8.30	11.04	12.19	13.49	3.04	6.24	7.19	8.59
Shatin	8.40	11.14	12.29	13.59	3.14	6.34	7.29	9.09
Yau Ma Tei	8.50	11.24	12.39	14.09	3.24	6.44	7.39	9.19
Kowloon	9.00	11.34	12.49	14.19	3.34	6.54	7.49	9.29

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Shatin	7.00	8.55	9.35	10.49	1.35	4.45	5.45	7.29
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Shatin	8.50	10.45	11.25	12.44	3.25	6.35	7.35	9.19
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CRICKET.

SATURDAY'S MATCHES.

H.K.C.C. v. K.C.C.

Kowloon were the visitors to the
Cricket Club on Saturday, and were de-
feated. The home side suffered the loss
of two wickets only. Kowloon won in
first, and ran up a total of 188, the prin-
cipal scorers being Duncan, 54, and
Morris, 33. A feature of the match was
Hayward's century for the H.K.C.C. He
scored a well compiled 108, which includ-
ed 16 boundaries. He was ably support-
ed by Mitchell, who scored 63, making
ten boundaries. The home team scored
184 for two wickets.

H.K.C.C.			
A. W. Ramsey, b Walker	18		
J. C. Lysal, b Vallack	13		
L. A. R. Duncan, c Webster, b	54		
S. W. Morris, c Webster, b Ste-	33		
ward	25		
G. Lee, c Webster, b Vallack	10		
F. Goodwin, c Ralph, b Walker	23		
F. W. Howell, run out	23		
S. Jex, not out	10		
R. R. Macaskill, b Walker	10		
P. Petheram, b Lee	4		
G. W. Williams, b Lee	1		
Extras	7		
Total	188		

K.C.C.			
Vallack	13	2	52
Walker	13	2	54
Lee	7.3	1	38
Webster	3	0	17
Stewart	3	0	8
Hayward	2	0	10
Extras	2	0	10
Total (for 2 wickets)	184		

H.K.C.C.			
R. E. A. Webster, c Howell, b	5		
Goodwin, not out	108		
A. W. Hayward, not out	63		
F. E. Stewart, not out	8		
Extras	14		
Total	194		

T. E. Pearce, J. D. Humphreys, R.
Hancock, R. F. Walker, L. P. Ralph,
G. R. Vallack and E. W. Lee did not
bat.

Bowling Analysis			
Goodwin	13	2	57
Lysal	13	0	69
Williams	7	1	21
Morris	3	0	25
Petheram	1	0	8
Extras	1	0	8

UNIVERSITY v. C.S.C.C.

On the University ground the home
team defeated the Civil Service by the
narrow margin of ten runs. The bowling
throughout was of a high standard, and
the match was not productive of big
scoring.

UNIVERSITY			
H. N. Balhatchet, b Reed	13		
B. P. Ng, c Reed	0		
Rev. E. K. Quick, b Evans	17		
A. A. Rumjahn, c Holdman, b	12		
Baker	12		
D. K. Samy, b Evans	0		
C. W. Lam, b Baker	4		
W. H. Sling, b Evans	0		
S. O. Shababudin, b Wallington	13		
S. Hachuma, b Baker	0		
B. N. Sudan, not out	18		
I. Tajima, b Wallington	4		
Extras	4		
Total	81		

Bowling Analysis			
Reed	9	1	17
Ling	6	0	8
Evans	5	2	12
Baker	6	2	14
Hamilton	4	0	20
Wallington	2.1	0	6
Sayer	1	0	4
Extras	1	0	4
Total	41		

C.S.C.C.			
F. J. de Rome, c Sling, b Quick	9		
F. E. Lawrence, c Lam, b Shaha-	7		
budin	7		
E. C. Fincher, c Shababudin, b	5		
Quick	5		
H. G. Wallington, c Sling, b	4		
Quick	4		
B. D. Evans, b Quick	7		
C. R. Sayer, b Balhatchet	17		
E. W. Hamilton, b Quick	1		
F. Baker, b Balhatchet	0		
E. B. Reed, b Balhatchet	0		
F. H. Holdman, not out	1		
F. Ling, run out	2		
Extras	2		
Total	71		

Bowling Analysis			
Shababudin	8.5	2	21
Rev. Quick	11	5	23
Balhatchet	5	1	13
A. A. Rumjahn	2	0	6
Extras	2	0	6
Total	23		

The Chinese, at home, beat Craigen-
gower by 54 runs. For the home side
Ng Sze Kwong scored a fine 70 (includ-
ing 12 fours).

C.R.C. v. C.C.C.			
J. L. Youngs, c Fritz, b A.	6		
Hamson	7		
H. C. Hung, b A. Hamson	70		
Ng Sze Kwong, b Gabagan	70		
C. Choa, c Scott, b A. Hamson	1		
K. L. Yung, c Fincher	0		
H. L. Chau, c Reed	21		
H. Ching, c Schnepel, b Gabagan	11		
P. S. Wong, b Fritz	5		
C. E. Wong, b Fritz	1		
Tse Tak On, c Pinnas, b A. Hamson	13		
Lai Kwong Trun, not out	4		
Extras	23		
Total	162		

Bowling Analysis			
Finder	10	1	49
A. Hamson	7.3	2	31
Scott	4	0	13
Fritz	7	1	25
Reed	4	1	17
Gabagan	3	0	11
Extras	3	0	11
Total	108		

Bowling Analysis			
Youngs	11	1	30
Hung	8	1	19
Ng Sze Kwong	3	0	16
Ching	3	1	10
C. Wong	3	0	4
Extras	3	0	4
Total	108		

Bowling Analysis			
Youngs	11	1	30
Hung	8	1	19
Ng Sze Kwong	3	0	16
Ching	3	1	10
C. Wong	3	0	4
Extras	3	0	4
Total	108		

The Indians, on their own ground,
suffered defeat at the hands of the Royal
Artillery. After the Indians had been
dismissed for 177 runs, their opponents
put up a total of 208 for 9 wickets, the
principal scorer being Major Hattersley-
Smith (62) who was unfortunate in not
getting three figures.

I.R.C. v. R.A.			
A. H. Rumjahn, c Hall, b Gifford	7		
A. H. Madar, b Henslowe	45		
J. S. A. Curran, c and b Rough	14		
S. H. Ismail, run out	32		
M. Omar, b Smith	18		
A. el Arculli, c Hall, b Henslowe	11		
S. A. Ismail, c Edmeades, b Hen-	4		
slope	4		
H. D. Rumjahn, c and b Smith	1		
N. B. Kitchell, not out	21		
F. M. el Arculli, c Edmeades, b	6		
Henslowe	6		
A. S. Sufiad, c Bensley, b Hen-	8		
slope	8		
Extras	10		
Total	177		

Bowling Analysis			
Lt. Henslowe	12.3	1	50
Sgt. Gifford	8	1	37
M/Gr. Rough	7	0	32
Lt. Smith	11	1	48
Extras	1	0	8
Total	177		

Bowling Analysis			
Capt. C. J. Bensley, c S. A.	11		
Ismail, b P. M. el Arculli	11		
Lt. H. L. Hall, c and b Omar	9		
Lt. J. H. Smith, c S. A. Ismail,	7		
b Omar	7		
Major Hattersley-Smith, b P. M.	92		
el Arculli	92		
Lt. F. A. Henslowe, c S. H.	4		
Ismail, b Omar	4		
Capt. N. C. Parkes, lb.w., b	4		
Omar	4		
Lt. J. A. Chester, c H. D. Rum-	6		
jahn, b Omar	6		
Lt. Col. W. A. Edmeades, b Omar	25		
Capt. L. W. Bennett, not out	28		
Sgt. T. Gifford, not out	8		
Extras	18		
Total (for 9 wickets)	208		

Bowling Analysis			
Omar	18	1	84
F. M. el Arculli	14	4	61
A. el Arculli	5	1	13
Madar	3	0	18
H. D. Rumjahn	2	0	13
Extras	2	0	13
Total	170		

In a friendly game at Kowloon the
Police were defeated by 76 runs. The
home side scored 170, but the Police could
only compile 94.

K.C.C. II. v. POLICE			
K. Parsons, c King, b Alexander	22		
J. C. Long, b Meadows	11		
A. A. Daud, c Alexander, b Men-	0		
dows	0		
D. S. Green, b Alexander	18		
W. F. J. Gorvin, b Alexander	4		
H. G. Hallam, b Meadows	0		
W. Hyde, c Dyer, b Alexander	24		
J. E. Hancock, b Sparrow	33		
E. G. Renton, not out	25		
C. T. Evans, c and b Sparrow	25		
A. McCallum, b Sparrow	25		
Extras	6		
Total	170		

Bowling Analysis			
Alexander	14	2	28
Meadows	10	0	40
King	4	0	22
Dyer	2	0	24
Sparrow	0.4	0	25
Coleman	3	0	25
Extras	3	0	25
Total	94		

Bowling Analysis			
C. Alexander, b Gorvin	6		
W. Meadows, c Hancock, b Gorvin	23		
A. Coleman, c Hyde, b Hancock	0		
T. H. King, lb.w., b Gorvin	17		
W. L. Sparrow, c Hancock, b	6		
Hyde	6		
A. E. Reynolds, c McCallum, b	2		
Gorvin	2		
H. Dyer, b Gorvin	8		
Collyer, b Hyde	0		
P. Condon, c Evans, b Gorvin	19		
J. Mitchell, c Evans, b Gorvin	0		
R. C. Watt, not out	0		
Extras	13		
Total	94		

Bowling Analysis			
Gorvin	11	2	36
Hancock	4	0	25
Hyde	7	2	20
Extras	7	2	20
Total	162		

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LOCAL SPORT.

BOWLS.

SPEY CUP FINAL.

The final match in the Spey Cup competition was played on the Kowloon Dock Recreation Club's green on Saturday afternoon, the Kowloon Bowling Green Club defeating the Kowloon Cricket Club, after a stirring encounter, by 20-17.

There was a large crowd of spectators present and the game was watched with the keenest interest and enthusiasm from start to finish.

There were some very remarkable heads at the beginning of the game, which showed the keenness of the green and the players. The first and second heads were very fine and all the players appeared to be trained to lie on the jack. First blood was drawn by the K.C.C., but the K.B.G.C. levelled up in the second head. There was not so much margin as the score would make out between the two teams, although the K.B.G.C. drew away on the next four heads, and led at 7-1. With 6 against them, the K.C.C. with a two and a three in the sixth and seventh heads, which were gained with some clever play, managed to reduce the lead of their opponents to 7-4.

The quality of the teams was shown in the next four heads, where a single point was made on each. The first two heads went to the Bowling Green, who then led at 9-6; while the Cricket Club scored a point on the tenth head, the next one going to their opponents. The game was still anybody's at this juncture, as the Bowling Green were only leading by 10-7.

Some excellent play was seen by Holland in the twelfth head. He was mainly responsible for the Bowling Green securing three points. Although the other team laid one on the thirteenth head, this appeared to be the turning point of the match.

BAD LUCK.

Some very bad luck met the K.C.C. on the fourteenth head. Through Brown and Hyde they lay three, but instead of putting in a blocker, however, Gibson sent down a very wide wood. The result was that after Whibley's first drive had missed the mark by a yard the latter scattered everything with his second wood. The jack went from the green into the ditch and almost rolled into the adjoining rink. It was shown by examination, however, that one-sixteenth was still "in bounds" and therefore the Bowling Green secured four points. It was exceedingly bad luck on the K.C.C. to lose four when they had laid three, and this was certainly the turning point of the game. However, the Cricket Club still played with dash and keenness although the score stood at 17-5 against them.

On the fifteenth head the K.C.C. secured a solitary point, but their opponents secured one also on the following head. However, the K.C.C. did much better on the seventeenth head and had the satisfaction of getting away with a three. With the margin now standing at 18-12, a desperate struggle took place, the Bowling Green gaining one point on each of the next two heads, the score standing at 20-12 on the nineteenth head.

With eight against them and two heads to go before the conclusion of the game, the Cricket Club, amid much excitement, scored three, reducing the score to 20-15, but on the last head, they only managed to secure two points, three less than the number required to tie.

The game may be said to have been a great one and in the nature of a local bowls Derby. Both winners and losers deserved the hearty congratulations they received.

The score by heads was as under:—
K.B.G.C.—Hazel, Duncan, Holland, Whibley (Skip), 20.
K.C.C.—Fraser, Brown, Hyde, Gibson (Skip), 17.

K.B.G.C.	K.C.C.
1	0
2	1
3	1
4	3
5	7
6	7
7	7
8	8
9	9
10	9
11	10
12	13
13	12
14	17
15	17
16	17
17	18
18	19
19	20
20	20
21	20

KOWLOON DOCK "AT HOME."

Coinciding with the final of the Spey Cup being played on their green on Saturday afternoon, the Kowloon Dock Recreation Club made it the occasion to hold an "at home" and formally close the bowls season.

At the close of the Spey Cup competition and the rink games, the various prizes won in the Dock Club's bowls competitions during the season were presented, as under:—

Championship: Mr. R. Lapsley; second, Mr. R. J. Goodman; third, Mr. A. Gourlay.

Handicap Singles: First, Mr. N. G. Cooper; second, Mr. C. Atkinson; third, still in abeyance.

Pairs Handicap: First, Messrs. J. McKelvie and E. Docherty; second, Messrs. G. and J. Puchon.

The winners of the spoons for the rink games played during the afternoon were: Rink No. 1: Messrs. Lapsley, T. A. MacKinnon, J. W. Matthews, and E. Cook; Rink No. 2: Messrs. Puchon, J. Henderson, J. M. Smyth, and A. Lindsay.

Souvenir spoons were also presented to Mrs. Cooper and Mrs. McKelvie for their labours in acting as hostesses and arranging afternoon tea.

All the trophies and prizes were presented to the various winners by Mrs. Dyer, to whom in turn a handsome bouquet was presented by Miss McKelvie.

POLICE "AT HOME."

A very enjoyable afternoon was spent at Happy Valley on Saturday, where the Police Recreation Club, the winners of the Second Division Championship, were "at home" to the other Clubs.

Five-rinks were occupied and some good games were witnessed.

The results were as under:—

Field	Muir
Marks	Pears
Nicol	Knight
Grant (Skip) ... 19	Grimmett (Skip) ... 14
Grimes	Taylor
Maxwell	Logan
Muirhead	Whant
McLeod (Skip) ... 19	McLeod (Skip) ... 14
Sword	Esquina
McLennan	Krahas
Reed	Tranda
Clark (Skip) ... 24	Hyder (Skip) ... 17
Glendinning	Jack
Ugg	Harrison
Gerrard	Labrum
Clark (Skip) ... 27	Lammert (Skip) ... 19
Dick	Barclay
Tollan	Thornburn
Blackman	Williamson
Mair (Skip) ... 15	Gee (Skip) ... 14

The prizes won in the various competitions that had taken place during the season were presented by Mrs. P. P. J. Woodhouse as under:—

Club Championship.—1st Prize, A. K. Taylor; 2nd Prize, A. R. Clark.

Single Handicap.—1st Prize, A. R. Clark; 2nd Prize, C. Greenwood; 3rd Prize, E. J. Field.

Pairs Handicap.—1st Prize, A. R. Clark and A. Hutchins; 2nd Prize, W. L. Clark and J. McLellan.

League Players' Handicap.—1st Prize, E. G. Post; 2nd Prize, J. C. West.

Novices' Handicap.—1st Prize, E. J. Field; 2nd Prize, G. H. Pears.

Shield Competition.—Winners, W. Sword (skip), J. Grant, A. Reid, and E. G. Post.

Men's Championship, Doubles.—Winners, S. C. Saunders and B. Thorpe; Runners-up, R. Marks and B. Wynne. At the conclusion of the prize distribution, Mrs. Woodhouse was the recipient of a beautiful bouquet in a silver holder at the hands of Miss Mavis Glendinning.

SHANGHAI'S THANKS.

PRESENTATION TO INSPECTOR KENT.

Just before the Shanghai Interport Bowlers left the Colony they assembled to express their appreciation of the services of Chief Inspector Kent, Chairman of the Lawn Bowls Association.

In a pleasing little speech, Mr. R. P. Phillips, captain and skip, said the Shanghai bowlers felt that they could not leave without testifying in some practical form to their most hearty appreciation of what Mr. Kent had done to make their stay here an enjoyable one in every sense of the word. Mr. Kent had already been alluded to by him (the speaker) as their "dear old man," and he was certain that no one could have looked after them better than Mr. Kent had done. He had set himself out from the moment of landing till almost the moment of departing to ensure that the bowlers from Shanghai enjoyed themselves. How well—how very, very well—he had succeeded would long live in their memories. However, all the majority of the matches had gone against them, nothing would ever erase from their minds the recollections of the ripping good time they had spent here and particularly the splendid way in which Mr. Kent had acted as their guide and their host-in-chief in a manner that could never be excelled. (Applause.) As a slight token of their appreciation he asked of Mr. Kent the acceptance of a case of pipes and tobacco pouch, along with a souvenir spoon. The intrinsic value of these might not be great, but the spirit in which they were presented was truly great and truly sincere. (Applause.) He could only express the hope that in using these pipes Mr. Kent would recall the very pleasant times he had been instrumental in providing for the bowlers from Shanghai. (Applause.)

Responding, Mr. Kent said that it did not require any tokens such as those presented to remind him of the visit of the Shanghai team. He had only done what he thought was his duty to a visiting team, and was proud to have been able to do that much to make their visit an enjoyable one. He thanked Mr. Phillips for his kindly remarks concerning him, and the Shanghai team as a whole for their kindness in presenting him with these parting gifts, which he would always appreciate. (Applause.)

Mr. T. G. Main said that the occasion could not be permitted to pass without some reference to one who had been a very silent but a very willing helper—Mr. D. Gow, President of the Hongkong Lawn Bowls Association. Although he had not said much, he was well aware that Mr. Gow had done a lot for them during their visit, and on behalf of his conferees he wished to thank Mr. Gow and to tell him how pleased he would be to take back to Shanghai the fraternal greetings of the Hongkong Lawn Bowls Association. (Applause.)

Mr. Gow, in replying, said that he had not been able to do much for the visitors, mainly owing to pressure of business, but what little he had done had been done most willingly. He was glad to know that the Shanghai team had a good time, and trusted that the most cordial relations established would be cemented more firmly than ever when Hongkong went up to Shanghai next year. (Applause.)

BOXING.

"CARLISLE" SAILORS AT MURRAY BARRACKS.

[BY GADGOLD.]

There was a very large attendance at Murray Barracks on Saturday night when the men of H.M.S. Carlisle took part in a charity boxing tournament, the proceeds of which were in aid of the dependents of the late S.P.O. G. May, of H.M.S. Carlisle. C.P.O. Jim Cartledge and Mr. H. Major also took part.

The tournament was under the patronage of Captain R. S. MacFarlan, R.N. Lieut. T. R. Beatty, R.N., was referee, Lieut. R. E. Courage, R.N., and J. P. L. Reid, R.N., were the judges, and Lieut.-Comdr. K. P. D. Acland, R.N., and Lieut. T. A. Smythe, R.N., were the timekeepers.

VALUE OF ATTACK.

The first fight was a light heavy-weight contest between A.B. Bangs and A.B. Dearing. The fight was not at all bad, both men taking and giving punishment without flinching. Most of the attack was done by Dearing, who won.

GAME LIGHT-WEIGHTS.

Light-weights: Stoker Morris met A.B. Rustace. Neither knew much about the science of boxing. In the first round Eustace did most of the attacking but he had sometimes to take a heavy right. Both men hit hard in the second round but most of their blows were swings. Eustace did nearly all the attacking in the last round and was easily superior. He won.

CARLIDGE AS FENCER.

A special fencing contest between C.P.O. Jim Cartledge and P.O. Smythe, P.O.R.T.L. H.M.S. Ambrose, was a novel event. Cartledge manoeuvred cleverly and got in the first hit. He soon followed with a second. Smythe then got home twice. Cartledge got the last in and won by 3 hits to 2.

UNINTERESTING BOUT.

Welter-weights: A.B. Hayes v. A.B. Garner. Neither man possessed a good punch and hustled each other around the ring. Hayes did most of the attacking in the first round. Clinching and wrestling were very prevalent. Garner forced the pace in the second round and tired his opponent who was finally counted out.

A GOOD FIGHT.

Middle-weights: L. S. Perrin v. Mnc. Sneddon. Sneddon has a nice style, but in Perrin he had a rugged, and hard-hitting opponent who often sent home nasty rights to the jaw. Neither man's defence was very good. Perrin was ahead in the first round. The second round was hotly contested, and Sneddon went down for a few moments from a nasty right. On one occasion, however, he sent Perrin back with a straight left. Perrin increased his lead on points. A staggering left to the jaw early in the third round stirred Perrin into vigorous action, and he rushed his opponent and dealt out heavy punishment. Twice Sneddon went down but he rose and fought back gamely. Perrin swung wildly as the round ended. Both men were very tired. Perrin won.

SCIENTIFIC BOXING.

Signalman Rogers and Leading Seaman Codrour gave an exhibition bout. Both men are well known in the Navy for their fast abilities and the bout was very interesting in so far as it concerned scientific boxing.

STRAIGHT LEFTS.

Tel. Loring met Stoker Brightman in the feather-weight class. Loring had the better of the exchanges in the first round, but Brightman never flinched. Loring used a good straight left. Brightman forced the pace in the second round and was conspicuous with straight lefts. He also brought his right into play often. The round was a good one; both men

taking and giving punches in turn with the honours going to Brightman. A good third round saw Brightman doing most of the attacking. Both men fought well, but the decision went to Brightman.

EXHIBITION BOUTS.

C.P.O. Jim Cartledge boxed three exhibition bouts of two rounds each with Mr. H. Major (Hongkong), A.B. Bell (H.M.S. Ambrose), and P.O. Mahan (H.M.S. Tamar). The bouts were very interesting and were well applauded.

A NARROW WIN.

A.B. Chinnery met Stoker Llewelyn in a welter-weight contest. Chinnery began the first round with a hurricane rush and caused Llewelyn to cover for some time. The honours went to Chinnery. Llewelyn did better in the second round and on one occasion slashed home two good rights to the jaw. Chinnery, however, was still slightly ahead. Llewelyn sent two hard rights to Chinnery's jaw in the last round. He won this round, but he had lost in the earlier stages. Chinnery won.

TWO GOOD MEN.

In a middle-weight contest Leading Tel. Roberts met A.B. Wearing. These were two good boxers. Wearing forced the pace at first and drew blood from Roberts' left eye with a hard right. He did most of the attacking in the first round but did not have things all his own way. Roberts' eye bled badly in the second round but he attacked and often brought his right into play. Roberts was superior in the last round and did most of the attacking. He caused his opponent to miss badly. He, however, lost the decision. Roberts, I thought, was slightly ahead.

SMASHITT AND MISSITT.

Hilarity ran high when Puncher Smashitt and Slogger Missitt fought three two-minute rounds in a special comedy bout. Garbed ludicrously and with their faces painted, they brought forth roars of laughter. C.P.O. Jim Cartledge similarly garbed and painted refereed. A similar laughter-laden episode was that which was entitled "a few squams by six local lads." The "lads" garbed like circus clowns went into the ring blindfolded and a topsy-turvy scuffle ensued. It was a hearty comedy.

At the conclusion of the events Captain R. S. MacFarlan, R.N., said that thanks were due to the East Surrey Regiment for allowing them the use of the ring. He also thanked those who had taken part and in particular C.P.O. Jim Cartledge. In conclusion he said that most boxing shows were staged for prizes, but this time there were no prizes as it was all done for charity and he thought it had been a jolly good show. (Cheers.)

GOLF.

JASPER CLARK CUP.

The Jasper Clark Cup and Club Qualifying Championship, each 36 holes Medal Play from scratch, will be played over Pailing Old Course, on November 22nd.

The best sixteen returns entitle players to compete for the Championship, which will be played off by match play on December 6th, 13th, and 20th.

Closing date for both the above competitions is 9 a.m. on November 13th.

Only full members of the Royal Hongkong Golf Club are eligible to enter for the above competitions.

Members wishing to compete are requested to send their entry, in writing, to the Secretary.

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K.O.C. "AT HOME."

AMERICAN TENNIS TOURNAMENT PLAYED YESTERDAY.

An enjoyable "at home," the first of the series to take place on the third Sunday of each month, was held at the Kowloon Cricket Club yesterday afternoon.

The function took the form of a tennis social, a tournament on American lines being played. There were 12 pairs on each side, captained respectively by Mr. E. Abraham (vice-president of the Club) and Mr. E. C. Fincher.

The tournament was won by Mr. Abraham's side.

The winning side was as under:—Mr. Abraham and Mrs. Old; Mr. L. Jack and Mrs. Spaulding; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Smith; Mr. E. Walker and Mrs. MacKenzie; Mr. D. G. Green and Mrs. Bocca; Mr. E. G. Gordon and Mrs. Dand; Mr. A. K. Jensen and Mrs. Atkinson; Mr. N. Trambitzky and Miss Woolley; Mr. A. W. Bance and Miss Nitrousoff; Mr. J. Fraser and Mrs. Clark; Mr. and Mrs. Savage and Mr. and Mrs. Macaskill. Spoons were awarded to the winning side.



LICENSING SESSIONS.

MAGISTRACY.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that a MEETING of the LICENSING BOARD will be held in the Council Chamber, on FRIDAY, THE 6TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1923, at 12 Noon, at which the following Applications will be considered under the Liquors Consolidation Ordinances, 1911 and 1917:—

No.	Names of Applicants.	Description of Licence applied for.	Sign of House.	Situation of House.	Whether the Applicant has held a Licence to sell Liquor in the Colony and, if so, for how long.
1	Pashota Kuston Chikhar	Publican's Licence.	The Regulus Bay Hotel	Rural Building Lot 142, Regulus Bay	1 month.
2	Percy Ingham Newman	"	Hongkong Hotel	18 & 19, Des Voeux Road Central, 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15 & 17, Pedder Street, and 21, 23, 25, 27 and 29, Queen's Road Central	1 "
3	James H. Witchell	"	King Edward Hotel	5, Des Voeux Road Central, and 4, Ice House Street, 2nd, 4th and 6th floors	1 "
4	James Ian Ross	"	Aslor House Hotel	13, Queen's Road Central	1 year.
5	James Henry Oxberry	"	Palace Hotel	40 to 44, Haiphong Road, Kowloon	7 "
6	Frank Lewis Cooke	"	Kowloon Hotel	Hankow Road	24 "
7	Mrs. E. Jenkinson	Hotel Keeper's Adjunct Licence.	Peak Hotel	19, Chamberlain Road	24 "
8	Mrs. A. B. Sanderson Smith	"	Station Hotel	11 & 13, Nathan Road, Kowloon	5 "
9	Mrs. Yoneko Uyetauki	"	Tokyo Hotel	36, 37, 38A & 38B, Connaught Road Central	8 "
10	Isekichi Eeki	"	Chitose Hotel	6, 7 and 8, Han Fung Lane	7 "
11	Ikuzo Nomura	"	Shokudoraku Hotel	39, Peking Road, Kowloon	54 "
12	Tokutaro Miyajima	"	Sushiro Hotel	46, Haiphong Road, Kowloon	9 "
13	Augustus Leung Hing Kee	"	The Metropole Hotel	22, Ice House Street and 2nd floor of Rutton Building, Duddell Street	7 months.
14	Jinkuro Morita	"	Chitose Kwan Hotel	1 & 3, Han Fung Lane	3 "
15	Mrs. Joe Yamakawa	Restaurant Keeper's Adjunct Licence.	Yamakawa Hotel	47, Praya East	2 years.
16	D. M. Goodall	"	Wiseman, Limited	St. George's Building, Ice House Street	11 "
17	M. M. K. Wood	"	Alexandra Café	Prince's Building, Ice House Street	1 year.
18	Torakichi Murata	"	Tsukinoiya	35, 36 and 37, Praya East	54 years.
19	Mrs. Yone Namura	"	Harumoya Hotel	65 and 66, Praya East	13 "
20	Henry Lowcock	"	The South China Restaurant	Roof of the China Building, Queen's Road Central	2 "
21	Yu Man Cho	"	Queen's Cafeteria	China Building Ground floor, (Facing Queen's Theatre)	7 months.
22	Novell Bernard White	"	The Bits	7, Des Voeux Road Central, Ground floor	1 month.
23	Li Wah	"	Ka Ping	22, Des Voeux Road Central	2 months.

Hongkong, October 16th, 1923.

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NEW HEADQUARTERS.

Saturday was a "Red-Letter Day" in the history of the Hongkong Boy Scouts' Association. In the afternoon their annual swimming sports were held at the Victoria Recreation Club, after which the certificates were presented to the winners by the Hon. Sir Claud Severn, K.B.E., C.M.G., and following this function a more important ceremony was performed at Murray Battery, Lower Albert Road, where the Chief Scout of Hongkong, H.E. the Governor (Sir Edward Stubbs, K.C.M.G.), opened the Scouts' new headquarters.

The Hongkong Boy Scouts' Association is now a very flourishing organization, numbering as it does several hundred members, and including no less than 21 troops and five packs. The success of the scout movement in Hongkong has been very largely due to the untiring energy and zeal displayed on its behalf by the Rev. G. T. Walgrave (the Scout Commissioner here) and his predecessor (Col. Bowen). The interest taken in the organization and the help given to it by the Chief Scout of Hongkong, the Hon. Sir Claud Severn, the Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak, Colonel T. A. Robertson, O.B.E. (Assistant Commissioner), and many other local gentlemen, is well-known and fully appreciated in Scout circles.

The provision of the new headquarters, the lack of which has handicapped the work of the Association ever since it started, and the acquisition of an excellent scouting and training ground at Junk Bay, will both fill long felt needs.

Both functions, the aquatic and the opening of the headquarters, were attended by a representative gathering, including many ladies.

The troops and packs forming the Association comprise the following:—

Troops.—1st, Sea Scouts; 1st, St. Joseph's College; 2nd, St. Andrew's, Kowloon; 3rd, 1st, Wanchai Wesleyan; 4th, Murray; 5th, The "Roving Fifth"; 6th, Ellis Kadoorie School; 7th, Saiyung-pun School; 8th, 1st, S. China A.A.; 9th, Tai-koo Scottish; 10th, St. Paul's College; 11th, Kowloon Scottish; 12th, Ying Wa College; 14th, 2nd, S. China A.A.; 15th, 3rd, S. China A.A.; 16th, 1st, Tai-koo; 17th, 2nd, Tai-koo; 18th, 3rd, Tai-koo; 19th, 1st, Yau-mat; 20th, Caine Road.

Packs.—2nd, Murray; 3rd, Bulldog; 4th, St. Andrew's, Kowloon; 5th, The Peak; 6th, Tai-koo.

Among the company present at the V.R.C. for the swimming sports were the Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak (President of the Association), Mrs. Holyoak, and the Hon. Sir Claud Severn, K.B.E., C.M.G. Much interest was taken in the events that made up an enjoyable programme and some exceedingly keen competition was witnessed, the times between first and second being very close in almost every race.

In the 100 Yards Senior Backstroke, H. Chan, of the 1st Troop, only failed by 3.5secs. to equal his record of 1min. 38.2secs. in the same event last year. In the Inter-Troop Team Relay Race, the Fifth Troop equalled its record time of last year, namely 1min. 35secs.; while Tai-koo (6th Pack) won the Inter-Pack Relay Race again and also beat its own record of last year of 1min. 21.4secs. by 1sec.

The sports officials were as follows:—Committee: Rev. G. T. Walgrave (Commissioner), District Scoutmaster A. White, Clubmaster Y. Fenton, Scoutmaster T. E. Jackson, Scoutmaster K. U. Lo and Scoutmaster F. Williams. Referee: Mr. W. Logan. Judges: Lt. Col. T. A. Robertson, O.B.E. (Assistant Commissioner), Lt. Comdr. C. R. H. Harvey, R.N., Capt. A. E. Watts, A.E.C., Scoutmaster Y. K. Ho, Mr. G. T. May, Dr. E. P. Minnett, M.D., M.R.C.P., Mr. R. C. Wittell and the Commissioner. Starter: The District Scoutmaster. Timekeepers: Lt. Comdr. C. R. H. Harvey, R.N., Mr. G. T. May and Mr. R. C. Wittell. Competitors' Stewards: Scoutmasters C. H. Hatcher, K. C. Kong and S. C. Li. General Stewards: The Scouters and Clubbers. Secretary and Recorder: Scoutmaster F. P. Williams.

THE RESULTS.

The results of the various events were as under:—50 Yards Senior Championship (record by A. May, 1925, 29.2secs.).—1, A. Chan (1st troop); 2, Fred Zimmer (5th troop). Time: 28secs.; 33.5secs.

50 Yards Junior Backstroke.—Francis Zimmer (5th troop). Time: 1min. 23.2secs.

Wolf Cub Race, one length (record by J. McCubbin, 1924, 16.4secs.).—1, K. Bateman (6th pack); 2, H. Muirhead (6th pack). Time: 22.5secs.; 22.4secs.

100 Yards Senior Championship (record by A. May, 1925, 70secs.).—1, K. Boulton (9th troop); 2, J. Lyon (2nd troop). Time: 1min. 18.2secs.; 1min. 18.3secs.

50 Yards Junior Championship (record by H. W. Foulds, 1925, 37.3secs.).—1, J. McCubbin (9th troop); 2, J. Sloan, jun. (9th troop). Time: 43secs.; 46.1secs.

Senior Diving.—1, Ng Wai Man (6th troop); 2, J. Sloan, senior (5th troop). Points: 83, 92.

Life-Saving Race (points for speed and correct method).—1, B. Talati (1st troop); 2, A. May (4th troop). Time: 10secs.; 97secs.

Junior Diving.—1, J. McCubbin (9th troop); 2, A. McCubbin (6th troop). Points: 98, 94.

100 Yards Senior Backstroke (record by H. Chan, 1924, 1min. 38.2secs.).—1, H. Chan (1st troop); 2, T. L. Thorn (4th troop). Time: 1min. 38secs.; 1min. 42secs.

50 Yards Scouters' Culbers and Rover's Race.—1, C. M. W. Gardner; 2, Assistant Scoutmaster Ng Non Sang (20th troop). Time: 40secs.; 41secs.

Inter-Troop Team Relay Race (record by 5th troop, 1924, 1min. 38secs.).—1, 5th troop; 2, 1st troop. Time: 1min. 38secs.; 1min. 39secs.

Inter-Pack Team Race (record by Tai-koo, 1924, 1min. 21.4secs.).—Won by Tai-koo. Time: 1min. 22.4secs.

Egg and Spoon and Needle and Thread Race.—1, E. Lee (3rd troop); 2, J. Lyon (2nd troop).

CERTIFICATES PRESENTED.

Following tea, the Hon. Sir Claud Severn presented the certificates to the successful competitors. Scout Commissioner Walgrave thanked Sir Claud for making the presentations. Continuing, he said that it was also his duty to bid farewell to Sir Claud in the name of the Association. As they knew, Sir Claud would be leaving Hongkong next month. He had heard it said, however, that Sir Claud hoped to come back to Hongkong later as a visitor. They hoped by that time the Association would be double. The Association owed much of its success to the kindly thought and consideration of Sir Claud Severn, and when he left the Colony he would bear with him the heartiest wishes of the scouts of Hongkong. They wished to give Sir Claud a little token in return for the kind thought, help, and consideration he had given them and the live interest he had always taken in the welfare of the Association.

THANKS BADGE.

The youngest member of the Association, Colin Ironside (5th Pack), then presented Sir Claud with the Scouts' "Thanks Badge," together with the accompanying certificate.

Commissioner Walgrave read the certificate and explained that the "Thanks Badge" was an old token among scouts, given as a sign of goodwill and gratitude from all scouts for services rendered. It commanded the willing service of all scouts who happened to be shown it at any time or any place where help was needed.

Proceeding, Mr. Walgrave said that he had also heard that Sir Claud proposed making a cricket ground wherever he intended to settle down. So that whenever he was rolling, cransing, or preparing it in any way for the afternoon's cricket he would only have to hold up this badge and scouts would immediately rush to help him in the work. Sir Claud would then be able to sit back in an armchair and enjoy a lemonade while he watched the scouts do the work for him on the ground. (Laughter and applause.) After again thanking Sir Claud for his help to the Association in the past and for presenting the awards that afternoon, Mr. Walgrave called for cheers for him. The scouts gave three hearty cheers and a "tiger."

Sir Claud Severn, replying, thanked the scouts for their gift and said he was very much obliged to them for their kindness in giving it to him. He thanked the Commissioner for the kind things he had said about him. He did not deserve anything from the Commissioner, had said, beyond the fact that occasionally he had been able to do some small service for the Boy Scouts' Association of Hongkong. He admired the wonderful way in which the Association had developed and congratulated those who had been its helpers in the past few years on the very fine progress it had made. He was certain it would be much to develop the youth of the Colony and help them to perform useful service in future situations. There were no scouts in Hongkong when he arrived to the Colony. There was only the Church Lads' Brigade at Kowloon, under a very fine athlete, the Rev. Mr. Spink, who did anything toward training boys to usefulness. He (Sir Claud) had the privilege of entertaining, soon after he came to the Colony, Sir Robert Baden Powell, their Chief Scout, when he passed through the Colony and spent a few days here in the course of visiting other Scout camps. These he would have enlarged and would present them to the Scouts for their new headquarters, so that they would be able to preserve the record of the first and only time their Chief Scout visited Hongkong. (Applause.)

Continuing, Sir Claud said he would not say "good-bye" but only "au-revoir," for his wife, who had been unable to join him in Hongkong, would insist upon coming back with him and they both hoped to be back among them again very soon. He should make a point of seeing Sir Robert Baden Powell at the first opportunity after getting Home and would tell him of this "Red-Letter Day" in their history. He would also tell him that on his next visit to the Far East he must visit Hongkong (Applause). He thanked them for the kind gift and would always wear the badge. He hoped it would always have the magical effect their Commissioner said it would in any crisis. He would look forward to the time when he would meet them again. (Applause.)

Commissioner Walgrave thanked Sir Claud for the promise of the photographs, and said that pictures were what were needed to complete the appearance of the new headquarters. They had one or two more promised them.

Cheers for the visitors and the singing of the National Anthem concluded the proceedings at the V.R.C.

THE NEW HEADQUARTERS.

The Scouts then marched to the site of their new headquarters at Murray Battery, Lower Albert Road. Here they were lined up in line, stretching from the headquarters down toward the H.V.D.C. parade ground, under their respective scoutmasters. The parade numbered about 280 and was under the command of the Scout Commissioner, assisted by the Assistant Commissioner and District Scoutmaster A. White.

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LOCAL SPORT.

YACHTING.

RACES DURING THE WEEK-END.

The yachting season commenced during the week-end when several races were held.

On Saturday, there was a menagerie race for boats that had taken the water ready for the season. The start was at the Yacht Club at 2.45 p.m. and the time limit was 6 p.m. The course was Channel Rocks (P), Kowloon Rock (P), Club Line (P), and Lyman Beacon (P), with the finish at the Yacht Club, a distance of 8.33 miles. The race was won by *Joan*, with *Gladya* second and *Lola* third.

The following was the order at the finish:—

	Handi-	Fishing	Corrected
	cap.	Time.	Time.
<i>Joan</i> (1)	22.13	4.47.36	4.25.23
<i>Gladya</i> (2)	20.49	4.47.34	4.26.34
<i>Lola</i> (3)	24.18	4.53.57	4.29.39
<i>Bluenose</i>	20.49	4.50.55	4.29.45
<i>La Linda</i>	22.29	4.54.40	4.31.12
<i>Thecla</i>	24.44	4.58.55	4.32.11
<i>Boojum</i>	20.49	4.59.13	4.32.27
<i>Gael</i>	23.36	4.59.25	4.32.40
<i>Olim</i>	17.21	4.51.19	4.33.51
<i>Colleen</i>	7.38	4.41.48	4.34.10
<i>Mae Sing</i>	22.38	4.57.08	4.34.36
<i>Halegon</i>	18.48	4.55.08	4.36.19

YESTERDAY'S RACES.

There were three races yesterday. The chief event was the menagerie race to Futuchau and back. The course out was 6.1 miles and return 4.5 miles, the start being made at Murray Pier. *Bluenose* won, *Joan* was second and *Boojum* third. The boats came in as under:—

	Handi-	Time	Corrected
	cap.	Elapsed	Time.
<i>Bluenose</i> (1)	23.30	2.33.42	2.07.12
<i>Joan</i> (2)	23.18	2.37.13	2.08.27
<i>Boojum</i> (3)	25.30	2.47.14	2.21.44
<i>Thecla</i>	31.16	2.59.04	2.27.48
<i>Dorthea</i>	9.43	2.41.13	2.30.30
<i>La Linda</i>	4.25	2.41.6	2.37.21
<i>Gael</i>	D.N.F.		

A race for the boatboys took place at Futuchau. It was won by *Bluenose*, followed by *Gael*, *Joan* and *Dorthea*.

OWNER'S RACE.

There was also an owners' race the distance being three miles. *Bluenose* came in first, *Boojum* second and *Dorthea* third.

The order at the finish was:—

	Finishing	Corrected
	Time.	Time.
<i>Bluenose</i> (1)	3.34.32	3.27.02
<i>Boojum</i> (2)	3.34.44	3.27.14
<i>Dorthea</i> (3)	3.31.38	3.28.53
<i>Joan</i>	3.39.15	3.31.15
<i>Gael</i>	3.40.12	3.31.43
<i>La Linda</i>	3.33.14	3.31.59
<i>Thecla</i>	3.42.39	3.33.47

was partly responsible for the resurrection of the scout movement in Hongkong, but the real credit was due to Mr. Walgrave's predecessor, Col. Bowen. It was Col. Bowen, who laid the foundation of the movement in Hongkong and put it upon a sound basis. When Col. Bowen left, he had some grave doubts as to where a suitable successor was to be found to carry on his work. Happily, Col. Bowen drew his attention to their present Commissioner, Mr. Walgrave, and he was sure the scouts of Hongkong could hardly have had a better successor to-day. His Excellency said he had received a letter from the Chief Scout, Sir Robert Baden Powell, asking him to accept the position of Chief Scout in Jamaica, an office which he had much pleasure in accepting.

Concluding, His Excellency said he wished to thank the scouts on behalf of the Community for the excellent services they had performed during the strike. They had done very well and had performed very valuable services during that period in many directions. As Chief Scout of Hongkong he thanked them for all they did then.

Three cheers and a "tiger" for His Excellency, followed by the singing of the National Anthem, concluded the proceedings.

The Commissioner afterwards presented warrants to Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters, the parade afterwards being marched off.

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OPERATIONS AROUND WAICHOW.

HOW THE CITY WAS CAPTURED.

[BY A CHINESE CORRESPONDENT.]

The following details of the operations which led to the capture of Waichow will be of interest to those readers who are keenly watching the military situation in the East River district.

Chiang Kai Shek, at a military conference held at Sheklung, decided to launch a general attack on Waichow. Following a few skirmishes with General Chan's men, Foe Ngor Leung, an important post not far distant from Waichow City, was captured by Chiang's troops on the 11th inst. From this point General Chiang directed the attack which was made from three directions. He personally led the centre forces which were made up of the First Division under Lieut.-General Ho Ying Yum, the Third Division under Lieut.-General Tan Chu Heng, and the First Independent Division under Wu Tseeh Cheng; in all a strength of about 12,000 men.

General Li Chi Chen commanded the Right Wing with Ping Shan, Tamshui, Hoiwong and Lukfoong as objectives.

The Left Wing, comprising two Army Corps from the Hupch and Kiangsi mercenary troops and a Division each of Hunanese and Hunanese soldiers, was commanded by General Cheng Chien, the former Director of the War Department under Dr. Sun's régime. Their objective was Hoiwan via Lungmoon.

Early in the morning of the 13th inst. with the aid of two aeroplanes, an armoured car and a convoy of 150 artillerymen, Chiang Kai Shek suddenly resumed the offensive. For several hours both sides maintained their positions. Chiang's artillery was then concentrated on the North Gate, and owing to the heavy bombardment Yang K'un Ju, the Defence Commander, was ultimately forced to evacuate the city and he retreated northwards.

General Li Chi Chen and Lieut.-General Tan Chu Heng have now been appointed Provisional Occupation Commissioners to maintain peace and order in Waichow.

REDS ARRESTED NEAR SWATOW.

Acting upon information received, the Swatow Authorities sent a detachment of Police in company with a "Flying Column" to raid a village about two miles from Swatow. Two of Chiang Kai Shek's majors were arrested. Five bombs and a number of badges and flags were also found.

MERCHANT VOLUNTEERS.

Reports from Peking state that the Associated Chambers of Commerce at a recent meeting resolved to recommend the Canton system of merchant volunteers to all merchants in China as a practical means of checking militarism.

CANTON-KOWLOON RAILWAY.

The Chinese section of the Canton-Kowloon railway is getting into a hopeless financial position. Since it has come under the control of the militarists it has ceased to be regarded as a business concern. The transportation of troops is costing very heavy sums but no one seems to pay any attention to this fact. There is, however, a movement to put all the railways around Canton under the direction of one committee so that the receipts of one line may be used by another.

LAND TAXES.

A system of land taxation, scientifically worked out with the aid of a German adviser, may soon be inaugurated in Canton City. The plan has already been provisionally considered by the Municipal Commission and is now in the hands of a special committee.

CHINESE OVERSEAS.

In addition to Chinese in America, Chinese in Java have wired Chan Kwing Ming pledging their support of the anti-Red movement.

SILK AND RICE TRADE.

Since October 13th, the shipment of silk cocoons and raw silk between silk markets around Canton has been resumed, the Kuomintang having given an assurance that they would stop further interference with the trade. The Kuomintang has given a similar pledge to rice merchants, near Canton and rice junks have been moving freely since October 14th.

CHARGES OF FRAUD.

EUROPEAN IN TROUBLE IN SHANGHAI.

Harold Fred Wadham, who was arrested on charges of false pretences and larceny, again appeared before Mr. G. W. King, O.B.E., in H.M. Police Court, on October 2nd.

Mr. K. E. Newman and Mrs. S. Young appeared for some of the complainants. Mr. M. B. Brown (in the absence of Mr. M. Reader Harris) defended.

Mr. Newman said that a lady came to his office that morning and said she wished to withdraw the charge as she had been paid the amount of her cheque by a friend of Wadham's and therefore she refused to prosecute. He told her it was a course which would hardly commend itself to the bench, to lay a charge and then withdraw it, but she said, "Well, I am a poor woman and what in the circumstances am I to do?"

Chen Conway said that in February this year he had an interview with Wadham at the office of Mr. (Grant Mark, China Realty Co. Wadham showed him a letter showing that he was entitled to a commission of Tls. 4,300 on a deal in connection with the San Sing Cotton Mill mortgage. He said he wanted to start a land company and asked witness to advertise for a comrade. Wadham gave witness an agreement to act as assistant manager at \$200 a month. He said he had a motor-car finance business and a third share in a factory in England and had drawn \$1,000 for six years. Witness took a prospective comrade to Wadham and the latter again produced the mortgage letter, saying he was entitled to receive the commission in two months. An agreement then was drawn up between the two. Witness was asked to put up security but could not get it. Wadham paid witness his salary in cash, but when witness left in August \$600 still were due to him.

Pinchson Chen said Wadham told him his business was real estate and general brokering. He engaged witness particularly for the land business at \$150 a month. Witness was asked for Tls. 5,000 and security at one per cent. per month and when witness objected Wadham said, "We have motor-cars to sell and if you sell one by instalments and the purchaser runs away it would have to be paid for out of your security." Witness eventually paid \$3,000 on a three months agreement. He did not earn any commission whilst with the firm. Witness subsequently left the firm on a month's notice, and received Wadham's written promise to return the security. Later he was given a cheque for \$3,000, covering also interest and salary, but it was dishonoured. Witness had secured judgment in a civil suit, with \$175 costs, and \$200 had been paid. The case was adjourned.

MARINE COURT.

CAPTAIN OF "CHANGSHA" FINED.

At the Marine Court on Saturday, before Lt.-Cdr. G. F. Hole, R.N., Mr. A. M. Frame, master of the s.s. "Changsha," was charged on two counts, (a) that being master of the s.s. "Changsha," the same being "a healthy" vessel, he failed to proceed at once to the quarantine anchorage on entering the harbour on the 14th inst.; (b) that he allowed passengers to land from his ship without the customary medical examination.

Capt. Frame pleaded guilty, and said that no passengers boarded the ship at Manila and only European members of the crew went ashore. He received no instructions at Manila as to the necessity of proceeding to quarantine anchorage hours previous to his arrival here. Bitterfield and Swire to proceed to buoy A5. They carried a fully qualified doctor on board. He did not know that quarantine had been ordered against Manila.

He was ordered to pay a nominal fine of \$10 on each charge.

Mr. C. B. Pimantall, master of the s.s. "Yam Wah" was fined \$25, with two weeks' hard labour in default, for allowing cargo to be worked from his ship on a Sunday without a permit from the Harbour Master.

Mr. J. T. Prior, who defended, said that the cargo, several bags of pens, were the personal property of passengers.

Li Chap and Leo Pak, masters of trading junks, and Kang Fuk, master of a boat, were charged with failing to exhibit registration lights on their craft while under way.

The first and second defendant were each fined \$15, with two weeks' hard labour in default; while the third defendant was fined \$5, with five days' hard labour in default.

THE WEATHER.

The following information was received by the American Consul-General on Saturday night:—

Cyclone or typhoon near or over South-Eastern Luzon, moving North-East.

The Royal Observatory issued the following report on Saturday night:—

Pressure has decreased slightly over Indo-China, Formosa and the Loochoos; it has increased considerably over North Japan and slightly elsewhere. The anti-cyclone has passed into the Pacific and another will probably form over China. In the total absence of returns from Manila no information is available concerning the position and motion of the depression to the East of Luzon. Moderate to fresh monsoon will prevail over the Northern China Sea. Forecast: North-East winds, fresh; fine.

COMPANY MEETINGS.

THE PROPOSED LOCAL MERGER OF CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE CO., LTD.

A further meeting of the China Provident Loan and Mortgage Co., Ltd., was held at the office of Messrs. Shewan, Tomes & Co., on Saturday morning. Mr. R. G. Shewan presided, and those present were: The Rev. Father Robert, Mr. A. H. White (Consulting Committee), Mr. R. F. Mattingly (Solicitor to the Company), Mr. E. M. da Rocha (Secretary), and the following shareholders: Messrs. H. Rutledge, A. H. Carroll, M. A. Figueiredo, H. H. Taylor, A. Rouillon, P. M. N. da Silva, W. Morley and T. Wong.

The Chairman said: At the meeting held last Saturday to-day was appointed for taking a poll. The necessary polling papers are in your hands, and you will vote by signing your name under the column headed "for" or the column headed "against" according to your views. The resolutions upon which you are voting are as follows:—

(1) That the authorised capital of the Company (which is now \$6,000,000 consisting of 600,000 shares of the nominal value of \$10 each of which 506,247 have been issued) be increased to \$7,500,000 by the creation of 150,000 additional shares of the nominal value of \$10 each ranking (subject as hereinafter mentioned) for dividend and in all other respects *pari passu* with the shares constituting the Company's present issued capital.

(2) That it is desirable to effect an amalgamation of the Company with the Hongkong Tug and Lighter Company, Limited, and that accordingly (subject to the approval of a Special Resolution of the shareholders of that Company but not otherwise) the draft Agreement submitted to this meeting and expressed to be made between that Company and its liquidator of the one part and this Company of the other part be hereby approved and that the General Managers of this Company be authorised pursuant to Section 191, to enter into an agreement with that Company and its liquidator in the terms of the said draft and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications as they think expedient.

(3) That the General Managers be at liberty to allot to the liquidator of the Hongkong Tug and Lighter Company, Limited, or his nominee, three of the \$10 shares of this Company (credited as fully paid up) in respect of every five of the issued \$10 shares in that Company (credited as paid up) to the extent of \$6) and also for the convenience of the said liquidator to issue such fractional certificates as the said liquidator shall think necessary or desirable to enable him to divide the said shares in this Company in due proportions among the persons entitled to them.

(4) That the shares so allotted to the nominees of the liquidator of the Hongkong Tug and Lighter Company, Limited, shall rank for dividend and bonus as from the 1st day of January, 1925, and that fractional certificates shall confer no right to dividend.

(5) That such shares if any in this Company as shall be so offered as aforesaid and declined (but not the remainder of the new shares of this Company created by the first preceding resolution) be disposed of in such manner at such time or times and upon such terms as the Company's General Managers shall in their absolute discretion think fit.

I may say in conclusion that the Consulting Committee and General Managers are in no way opposed to the Rev. Father Robert's proposal, and I hope, therefore, that all present will vote against the confirmation of these Resolutions so as to get them out of the way and leave us free to make other arrangements.

The poll then took place. Messrs. T. Wong and da Silva assisted by the Secretary, acting as scrutineers, and the voting (by shares) was returned as follows: For, 3,757.

Against, 31,366.

This was all the business before the meeting, the Chairman announcing that the resolution was lost.

HONGKONG TUG AND LIGHTER CO., LTD.

Shortly afterwards an extraordinary general meeting of the Hongkong Tug and Lighter Co. was held under the chairmanship of Mr. Shewan. Those present were: Messrs. C. B. Brooke, M. M. Tackey, W. J. Carroll (Consulting Committee), Mr. Mattingly (Solicitor to the Company), Mr. Noel Braga (Secretary), and the following shareholders: Messrs. J. Toppin, A. A. Botelho, F. V. de Souza, Tong Hok Ting and S. C. Cook.

After the Secretary had read the notice convening the meeting, amalgamation said:—As the proposed Loan and Mortgage Company has fallen through for the time being, there is no necessity on that account for the resolutions to be confirmed, but our solicitors advise that they must be got out of the way before we can begin any fresh negotiations, so I hope all present will now vote against their confirmation. As Chairman I propose that the resolutions be confirmed as special resolutions.

Mr. Tackey seconded, and the resolutions were rejected by the meeting.

G.O.C. GOES HOME.

TO UNDERGO EYE TREATMENT.

A large number of military and Government representatives also many private friends, assembled at Queen's Pier on Saturday morning to bid a temporary farewell to His Excellency Major-General C. C. Luard, C.B., C.M.G. (Officer Commanding the Forces in China), who left on the s.s. "Malua" for Home.

Major-General Luard is leaving to undergo treatment for his eyes and it is thought that an operation may be necessary. In his absence, Col. Russell Brown will act as Officer Commanding the forces in China. The General was accompanied home by Mrs. Luard.

Among those present at the pier were H.E. the Governor, (Sir R. E. Stubbs, K.C.M.G.), the Hon. Sir. Claud Severn, the Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak and Mrs. Holyoak, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Warren, Lt.-Col. F. G. G. Fitzgerald, D.S.O., Col. C. Russell Brown, D.S.O., Mr. Justice H. H. J. Gompertz, the Hon. Mr. A. G. M. Fletcher, the Hon. Mr. Chow Shou Son, the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kewell, Mr. P. J. Wodehouse, C.I.E., Mr. T. J. Gaisford-St. Lawrence and Capt. Swinton, M.C.

COMPANY REPORT.

DAIRY FARM, ICE AND COLD STORAGE CO., LTD.

The following is the report of the Directors of the Dairy Farm, Ice and Cold Storage Co., Ltd., to be presented at the annual meeting on Saturday next:—

The Directors herewith present to the shareholders a statement of the company's accounts for the year ending July 31st, 1925.

The profit for the year, together with the amount brought forward from last year's account, viz.: \$8,200.61, and after writing off \$109,316.68 for depreciation and placing \$7,000.00 on reserve against bad and doubtful debts, and providing for directors' and auditors' fees, amounts to \$220,631.74 which it is proposed shall be dealt with as follows:—

To pay a dividend of \$1 per share on 200,000 shares	\$200,000.00
To add to Fire and Typhoon Insurance Fund	6,794.73
To carry forward	13,837.01
	\$220,631.74

Directors.—Mr. W. S. Brown resigned his seat on the Directors on leaving the Colony.

Mr. A. B. Stewart having left the Colony resigned his seat on the Directors and Mr. R. M. Austin was invited to fill the vacancy. Mr. D. M. Ross and Mr. J. P. Warren resigned on the return to the Colony of Mr. A. S. D. Cousland and Mr. T. G. Weall, respectively.

Retiring Directors.—Rev. Father L. Robert and Mr. R. M. Austin retire by rotation but are eligible for reelection. Audit.—The annexed accounts have been audited by Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth and Fleming who offer themselves for reelection.

HONGKONG'S FINANCES.

FIGURES FOR JULY.

Below we give the financial statement for July, taken from the current Government Gazette:—

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

Balance of Assets and Liabilities on June 30th, 1925	\$10,210,211.19
Revenue from July 1st to July 31st, 1925	4,068,413.85
	\$14,278,625.04

Expenditure from July 1st to July 31st, 1925	1,864,942.24
Balance	\$12,413,682.80

Assets and Liabilities on July 31st, 1925.	
Liabilities.	
Deposit not Available	\$1,150,308.96
House Servants Account	6,222.44
Postal Agencies	40,410.65
Suspense Account	6,864.09
Over Draft: Banks	157,776.80
Total Liabilities	\$1,361,572.94
Balance	\$12,413,682.80
Total	\$13,775,255.74

Assets.	
Subsidiary Coins	\$1,048,293.06
Advances	362,832.44
Building Loans	1,008,614.22
Imprest	65,543.00
Crown Agents Deposit Account	67,294.85
Unallocated Stores (P.W.D.)	792,351.40
Unallocated Stores (Railway)	234,231.42
Coal Account	10,134,123.82
Investment Account	48,318.88
Lorry Haulage Account	1,541.00
Crown Agents Current Account	13,958.27
Total	\$13,775,255.74

Cash lent at interest	\$22,000.00
Cash on deposit	4,117.15

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that owing to Road Improvements at the Junction of Cross and Bowen Roads, STUBBS ROAD will be CLOSED to All Vehicular Traffic from MIDNIGHT to 6 A.M. on the 21st OCTOBER, 1925.

CAPT. SUPT. OF POLICE.
Hongkong, 17th October, 1925. [2773]

"GLEN" LINE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

FROM UNITED KINGDOM via PORTS.

THE T. Steamship "GARMARTHENSHIRE" having arrived from above ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whence, and/or from the wharves, Delivery may be obtained. Goods not cleared by 24th October, 1925, at Noon, and damaged Packages are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined in the presence of Consignee by Messrs. Goddard & Douglas on 23rd October, 1925, at 10 A.M. Claims against the Steamer, including those for Cargo short, Form provided, and must also be submitted within 30 days of arrival, otherwise they will not be recognised. The Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., Agents.
Hongkong, 17th October, 1925. [2772]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.
AND
CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "PYRRHUS" are hereby notified that the Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will lie at Consignees' risk and subject to Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from Godown on and after 17th October, 1925.

Optional Cargo will be landed, unless Notice has been given prior to Steamer's arrival. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 A.M. and Noon within the Free Storage Period. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd Oct., 1925, will be subject to Rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 6th November, 1925, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance will be effected. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, 17th October, 1925. [2771]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.
AND
CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

FROM NEW YORK

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "HERCULES" are hereby notified that the Cargo having arrived per S.S. "PYRRHUS" from Singapore will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will lie at Consignees' risk and subject to Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from Godown on and after 17th October, 1925.

Optional Cargo will be landed, unless Notice has been given prior to Steamer's arrival. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 A.M. and Noon within the Free Storage Period. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd Oct., 1925, will be subject to Rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 6th November, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance will be effected. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, 17th October 1925. [2770]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.
AND
CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "SARPEDON" are hereby notified that the Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will lie at Consignees' risk and subject to Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from Godown on and after 16th October, 1925.

Optional Cargo will be landed, unless Notice has been given prior to Steamer's arrival. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 A.M. and Noon within the Free Storage Period. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 22nd Oct., will be subject to Rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 6th Nov., or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance will be effected. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, 16th October, 1925. [2764]

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE.

H.E. THE GOVERNOR will inaugurate the New Halls of the COLLEGE on FRIDAY, 23rd OCTOBER at 5 P.M.

The Parents of the Pupils, Friends and Benefactors of the College are cordially invited.

NOTICE.

THE DAIRY FARM, ICE AND COLD STORAGE CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTY-NINTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Company's Town Office, 2, Lower Albert Road, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, 24th OCTOBER, 1925, at Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 31st July, 1925. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 24th OCTOBER, 1925, both days inclusive. By Order, M. MANUK, Secretary.
Hongkong, 8th October, 1925. [2776]

HONGKONG REALTY AND TRUST COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE SECOND ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS OF HONGKONG REALTY AND TRUST COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the Hongkong Hotels, Pedder Street, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 7th day of NOVEMBER, 1925, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Board of Directors for the Year ended the 30th June, 1925, confirming the appointment of Directors, and re-electing Directors and the Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 2nd day of NOVEMBER, 1925, until SATURDAY, the 7th day of NOVEMBER, 1925, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
(C. F. V. BISSI, Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, October 14th, 1925. [2768]

HONGKONG SMALL INVESTORS' SHARE AND REAL ESTATES CO.

WE have Investors interested in SOUND LOCAL AND RUBBER SHARES at Favourable Rates. Offers invited by TELEPHONE, C. 4630, or in Writing to SMALL INVESTORS, 10, DEA VOUEZ ROAD. [2534]

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INTIMATIONS

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Power of Attorney given by me to M. DERE HERMANTE WOEHLER has been REVOKED. HANDELMAATSCHAPPIJ TRANSMARINA. [2761]

NOTICE.

IT is proposed to hold AN OLD MARLBORIAN DINNER at the Hongkong Hotel on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22nd. Will all those interested please communicate with—

J. A. BARTON, c/o Messrs. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong. [2763]

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.

PUBLIC AUCTION
THE VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY

SITUATE at Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong and known as SUBSECTION 2 of SECTION E of INLAND LOT No. 591, with the Building thereon known as No. 42, BONHAM ROAD.

MESSRS. LAMBERT BROTHERS, AT THEIR SALESDROOM, No. 5, DUNDRELL STREET, VICTORIA, HONGKONG, MONDAY, the 19TH DAY OF OCT., 1925, at 3 O'CLOCK P.M.

For further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, Apply to—

MESSRS. WOO & NASH, Mortgagees Solicitors, Bank of China Building, OR TO—MESSRS. LAMBERT BROTHERS, Auctioneers, No. 5, DUNDRELL STREET, Hongkong, 5th October, 1925. [2749]

FOR SALE BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

THE VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY

SITUATE at YAU MATI in the DEPENDENCY of KOWLOON and Colony of HONGKONG and known as SECTION J of KOWLOON INLAND LOT No. 1087, Together with the Premises thereon known as No. 479, NATHAN ROAD, YAU MATI.

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION ON WEDNESDAY THE 24TH DAY OF OCT., at 3 O'CLOCK P.M.

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For further Particulars apply to—MESSRS. JOHNSON, STOKES & MASTER, Mortgagees Solicitors, OR TO—THE AUCTIONEERING & BROKERING CO., LTD., Auctioneers, Hongkong, 16th October, 1925. [2766]

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

PUBLIC AUCTION
OF
THE VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY

SITUATE at SHAMSHUIPO in the Colony of Hongkong and registered at the LAND OFFICE as SECTION B of NEW KOWLOON INLAND LOT No. 326, Together with the Buildings thereon now known as Nos. 135 and 137, KI LUNG STREET.

IN TWO LOTS BY MR. E. V. M. R. DE SOUSA, Auctioneer, AT THE CHINA AUCTION ROOMS, No. 4, DUNDRELL STREET, HONGKONG, ON THURSDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF OCT., 1925, at 3 O'CLOCK P.M.

For further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, Apply to—MESSRS. GEO. K. HALL BRUTON & CO., Mortgagees Solicitors, St. George's Building, Chater Road, OR TO—MR. E. V. M. R. DE SOUSA, Auctioneer, No. 4, DUNDRELL STREET, Hongkong, Dated the 15th October, 1925. [2766]

INTIMATION

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MARRIAGES.

Box—TRIVETT.—At Changsha, on October 2nd, GRADY EDWYNA, youngest daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. SAWYER, TRIVETT, of Halifax, Canada, to REYNOLD HOLYOKE BOX, son of the late THOMAS HOLYOKE BOX, of Yokohama.

IRVING-WOODS.—At Shanghai, on October 7th, ELLEN (NELLIE), daughter of ALBERT and JANE ALICE WOODS, of Haslingden, to JOHN OSWALD, second son of Mrs. ELIZABETH ALICE and the late WILLIAM HENRY IRVING, of Haslingden.

DEATH.

OLIVEIRA.—At Shanghai, on October 8th, MARIA HELENA DA CRUZE E OLIVEIRA, beloved wife of JOSE M. OLIVEIRA.

Hongkong Office: 14, Chater Road. London Office: 131, Fleet Street, E.C.

The Daily Press.

HONGKONG, OCTOBER 19TH, 1925.

CHINESE PROPAGANDA IN ENGLAND.

Our London correspondent has previously referred to the activities of the Chinese Information Bureau in London, and in a leading article on September 15th we suggested that British interests out here might consider the advisability of establishing some organisation at home whose business it would be to keep public opinion properly informed as regards conditions in China. The method employed, as a rule, by the Chinese Bureau in the *suyyatio falsi* which, as we all know, is dangerous, and even deadly, because it is insidious. Unquestionably some means should be devised for checking its influence. Our attention is called again to the subject by a letter from the Bureau published in the *Manchester Guardian*. The letter should be read in connection with the speech delivered by Mr. AUGUST CHAMBERLAIN at the luncheon given by the China Association. This speech was cabled in full to the Far East. It may have disappointed British residents in Hongkong because it ignored completely

the unenviable position in which this Colony had been placed by the activities of the Bolsheviks in Canton. We never imagined it could be suggested that the speech, restrained in its tone and liberal in its outlook, would be read by Chinese "with dismay." If the Chinese were not satisfied with it we cannot hope that they will ever be satisfied.

From the criticisms of the Chinese Information Bureau one would be led to believe that conditions in China are normal and that the people are suffering patiently under the injustice of commercial and financial magnates. It is this sort of propaganda, cleverly conceived, that misleads public opinion in Great Britain, and at present there seems to be no means of combating it in the English Press. The letter from the Chinese Information Bureau is as follows:—

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S SPEECH ON CHINA. [To the Editor of the "Manchester Guardian"]

SIR.—We have read with great interest and appreciation the leading article in the *Manchester Guardian* to-day on Mr. AUGUST CHAMBERLAIN'S speech at the luncheon given by the China Association to the British delegates to the forthcoming Chinese Tariff Conference.

The main object of this Bureau is to disseminate facts and information about China and not to engage in propaganda for any particular interest. But we have not overlooked the grave consequences involved if England in general and Lancashire in particular loses to any degree the Chinese market.

We are in touch with prominent leaders of opinion in China, and we feel it our duty to point out, with all seriousness, that the speech made by Mr. CHAMBERLAIN affords no help towards improving relations between England and China, and puts forward no constructive suggestion. The opportunity looked forward rather than speech which looked backward, and hopefulness should have been the dominating note. These were conspicuously absent, and if this is the spirit which the delegates are to take with them to the East there is little hope for any improvement in the relations of our two peoples, without which Lancashire trade will continue to suffer.

A lead might have been taken by Great Britain in renouncing some of those rights and privileges which sate men on all sides admit are antiquated and out of date. That opportunity was lost. Mr. CHAMBERLAIN'S speech will be read with dismay throughout China, where it will be highly reported. It is noted that "high finance" was strongly represented at the luncheon. Is it rather than humanity or even commerce dictating our policy in the Far East—Yours, etc., Y.C.I., CHINESE INFORMATION BUREAU.

65, Belgrave Road, London, S.W.1.

The Criminal Sessions are to be held to-day.

Owing to the losses they have sustained through the strike, the local Indian Stores did not celebrate the Divali festival on Saturday.

Mr. Waa Ying Shing, of 38, Caine Road, has been added to the Register of Medical Practitioners entitled to practise medicine in the Colony.

The return of notifiable diseases in the Colony for the 24 hours ended on October 15th shows 2 European cases of diphtheria, and 1 Chinese case of enteric fever.

H.E. the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. G. S. Kennedy Skipton to act as Head of the Sanitary Department, during the absence on leave of Mr. N. L. Smith.

It is notified that, owing to road improvements at the junction of Stubbs and Bowen Roads, Stubbs Road will be closed to all vehicular traffic from midnight to 6 a.m. on Wednesday.

The *Union Church Record* says: "One of the most urgent demands of the present moment is the formation of a strong and enthusiastic choir and we earnestly call for help in this direction."

Regulations covering 48 clauses made by the Governor in Council under section 3 of the Vehicles and Traffic Regulation Ordinance, 1912, Ordinance No. 40 of 1925, are published in the current issue of the *Government Gazette*.

The feast of St. Margaret Mary yesterday was made the occasion of the blessing of the new Church of that name in Broadwood Road by the Very Rev. Father G. M. Spada, pro-vicar apostolic of Hongkong. The service of blessing took place at 8.30 a.m.

The Chinese driver of car No. 649 has reported to the police that when he suddenly stopped to avoid running over a dog at Connaught Road, near the Western Market on Friday, he was run into by another car which was following closely behind. No one was injured and the damage to both cars was insignificant.

The second ordinary yearly meeting of the shareholders of the Hongkong Realty and Trust Company, Limited, is to be held at the Hongkong Hotel on Saturday, November 17th, at noon.

It is proposed to hold an Old Marl-burying dinner at the Hongkong Hotel, next Saturday. All interested are asked to communicate with Mr. J. A. Barton, c/o Messrs. Butterfield & Swire.

Under the auspices of H.M.S. *Hermes*, a dance is to be held at the Seamen's Institute to-morrow evening. The Jazz Band of H.M.S. *Hermes* will provide the dance music. Dancing will be from 8.30 to midnight.

Mr. J. H. Cubbon, Deputy Commissioner of Customs at Shanghai, has been transferred to Nanking, where he will be in charge as Acting Commissioner. He is relieving Mr. Alan Wilson, who is proceeding to Tientsin to take charge there in place of Mr. R. C. Guernier, who goes home on leave.

The annual harvest festival took place at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, yesterday. Holy Communion was celebrated at 8.15 a.m., and morning prayer was offered at 11 a.m. The Rev. G. E. S. Updell preached. Another celebration of Holy Communion took place at noon. In the evening the Vicar preached.

A sale of Crown Land is to take place by public auction at the offices of the Public Works Department on Monday, October 26th, at 3 p.m. The land on sale is Shaukiwan Island Lot No. 236, opposite Shaukiwan Island Lot No. 120. The site contains about 1,340 square feet and the upset price is \$1,240. The annual rental is \$12.

A dinner was given in honour of Mr. Manuk of Hongkong at the Kuang Tuck Ling Buddhist Vegetarian Restaurant, Shanghai, on October 8th. The four Lodges of the Theosophical Society in Shanghai—namely, Shanghai Lodge, Dawn Lodge, Blavatsky Lodge and China Lodge, were well-represented, about 30 members being present.

The master of the s.s. *Tacoma Maru* (Japanese), from Bombay and Singapore, reported to the Harbour Office on the vessel's arrival here, that a Chinese deck passenger, named Yung Sing, died from tuberculosis during the voyage from Singapore to Hongkong. No less than 114 Chinese deck passengers landed from this vessel in Hongkong.

The first social of the Winter Session in connection with St. Andrew's Church Hall was held on Friday evening. Amongst those who took part were Mr. Baldwin, Miss Daisy Wiltchell, Rev. G. E. Arrowood, Mr. R. Sands, Mr. J. H. Anderson, Mr. Turnham, Mr. R. C. Wiltchell. The socials are held on the third Friday of each month.

The rainfall for the month of September at the Botanical Gardens was 11.04 on 15 days, at the Matilda Hospital, Mount Kellett, was 25.14 on 14 days, and at the Police Station, Taiipo, it was 31.50 on 7 days. The lowest barometer at sea level, was 29.14 on 17th, on the 15th. The maximum squall velocity, as recorded by the Dines-Barnard anemograph, was at the rate of 54 miles per hour at 6h. 58m. on the 1st.

It is notified that the Governor in Council has determined under section 9 of the Companies Ordinance, 1900, Ordinance No. 8 of 1900, that on and after January 1st, 1926, Insured Boxes addressed to Great Britain and Northern Ireland shall be accepted for transmission in the letter mails under the following conditions: Postage, \$2.50 for each box or fraction thereof, with a minimum of \$0.40. Fee for Insurance (which is additional to the postage and registration fee), \$0.25 for each \$10 of insured value or fraction thereof. Limit of Insured Value, \$120.

Under section 113 sub-section (10) of the Companies Ordinance, 1911 and 1925, it is notified for general information that, in addition to those persons already notified, the following firms having made application to be appointed by the Registrar of Companies auditors for the purposes of the Companies Ordinance, 1911 and 1925, are in his opinion, qualified to perform the duties required by the said Ordinances to be performed by an auditor:—Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews; Messrs. Percy Smith, Scott and Fleming; and Messrs. Linstead and Davis.

Among the passengers who left for Home on the *Malaya*, were: Mr. Y. D. Hilliard (Commissioner of Customs at Kowloon), Mr. Hilliard and Miss Hilliard, Capt. M. R. J. Maxwell-Scott (Senior Naval Officer, West River), and Mrs. Maxwell-Scott, Mr. H. S. Prowse (of the China Light & Power Company), Mrs. H. M. Ingham, Lieut. Commander C. M. Campbell, Lieut. Commander and Mrs. Kendall-Oram, Mr. F. Bellamy, Brown, Commander C. L. Limpenny, R.N., Mr. F. Harper, Dr. Hawkes Pott, Major R. C. Campbell, C.M.G., Lieut. F. S. Billings, Mr. J. Trevor-Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. Baxter and the Misses N. K. R. and J. Baxter. The majority of the above mentioned passengers joined the *Malaya* at Shanghai.

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LATEST CABLES.
(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

LOCARNO CONFERENCE.

CHANGE OF MENTALITY IS
WELCOME IN EUROPE.

THE CLOSING SCENES.

PARIS, October 17th.

The change in European mentality, wrought by the Locarno Conference, is reflected in the editorials of the newspapers, which, for the first time since the conclusion of the International Conference, are almost unanimous in paying tributes to the German statesmen, whose intelligence and courage have contributed to the success of the conference.

THE GERMAN DECISION.

LOCARNO, October 17th.

A German communiqué says that the Reichstag and Reichsrat have to decide on the acceptance or rejection of the Protocol.

The Federal Premiers and Representatives of the occupied territories have been summoned to Berlin to decide the matter.

PACT IS INITIALED.

LOCARNO, October 18th.

All the points in dispute, including the Eastern question, have been settled.

The document embodying the Security Pact and the various arbitration treaties is at present being typed for initialling.

LATER.

FRENCH APPROVAL.

PARIS, October 18th.

The Cabinet has unanimously approved the Locarno Pact and congratulated M. Briand, the Foreign Minister.

HISTORIC SCENES.

The concluding stage of the historic Conference was marked by the appearance of M. Briand and Herr Stresemann at the window of the Conference hall which aroused great enthusiasm among the spectators below. All the delegates were very warmly greeted as they proceeded in cars, especially Dr. Luther and Herr Stresemann, who were looking happy; but the greatest ovation of the day was reserved for Mr. Austen Chamberlain who entered his car holding the protocol aloft.

Mr. Chamberlain, speaking to British journalists, expressed his sole regret that the nations represented were unable to hear the moving delegations at the close of the Conference. The words of Herr Stresemann and M. Briand would remain an imperishable memory.

Locarno is en fête. The public buildings are illuminated. The famous monastery of Madonna del Sasso, on the hillside with the word "Pax" across the front presented a brilliant spectacle.

It is stated that the various foreign ministers will meet in London in December to sign the Pact.

CONCLUDING COMMUNIQUE.

LOCARNO, October 17th.

The concluding communiqué enumerates the documents initialled in the Treaty between Germany and Belgium, France, Britain and Italy; and the Arbitration Conventions between Germany and Belgium, Germany and France, Germany and Poland and Germany and Czechoslovakia, all of which will be signed in London on December 1st.

Furthermore there are separate agreements concluded between France, Poland and Czechoslovakia, arising out of the foregoing and they will in due course be deposited with the League of Nations.

Proceedings wound up with cordial speeches by Mr. Chamberlain, M. Briand, Signor Mussolini, and Herr Stresemann. The last named joyfully greeted the great development of the idea of European peace and hoped that the Treaties would mark the beginning of a period of common co-operation between nations.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

VIEWS OF PRES. COOLIDGE.

NEW YORK, October 18th.

The success of the Locarno Conference is appreciatively commented upon in the newspapers. It is suggested that the full benefit of the Locarno decisions will only be obtained with further reduction of armaments and President Coolidge is urged to take the opportunity of inviting the European nations to a conference on disarmament.

While he has as yet received no official advice from Locarno, President Coolidge believes that the Pact is one of the most important achievements in Europe since the Davies Plan. He regards it as a further step in the direction of world peace. The President expects the Pact will have a definite effect upon the proposals for the second armaments conference to be held in the United States.

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LATEST CABLES.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

FRENCH RADICALS.

M. CAILLAUX OUTLINES THE
SITUATION AT CONFERENCE.

NICE, October 17th.

Speaking at the Radical Congress, M. Caillaux outlined the situation. The Treasury, he declared, would never shrink from bold reforms, but would resolutely oppose "financial demagoguery," which merely deceived the masses.

DEFEAT FOR CAILLAUX.

There was a noteworthy clash on the subject of the capital levy, which M. Herriot advocated.

M. Caillaux denounced it, declaring that it would throw such quantities of stock and other property on the market as to endanger the whole economic structure. M. Caillaux pointed out that besides the inter-allied debts, France still owed twenty milliard francs to the liberated regions. Her short term debts, which were falling due this year, might amount to twenty-two milliards. There was also the floating debt of fifty-five milliards.

He forecasted drastic taxation in the Budget, which he said would be equivalent to taxing 83 per cent. of capital. It would include an increase in the succession duties; taxes on undeveloped property, jewellery and works of art.

M. Herriot urged M. Caillaux not to cause a split in the party.

The Finance Committee of the Congress, at a meeting later, failed to find a compromise on the two viewpoints; and passed a resolution, by a large majority, recommending a special tax on all forms of fortune capital. This was a defeat for M. Caillaux.

LEFT TO GOVERNMENT.

The Radical Party resolution added that it left Government free to deal with the financial problem in its own way. Probably this saving clause in the resolution, which closely resembles a demand for capital levy, induced M. Caillaux to support the motion. Moreover, he explained that he was voting as a Radical Party man not as a Member of Government.

The resolution serves the purpose of averting a split in the nominal unity of the Radical Party.

PLEA FOR THE ENEMY.

The Radical Congress reaffirmed its decision, supporting only a government which follows the Cartel's programme. It urged the Government in conjunction with Spain to renew its generous and humane offer to the Rif and Jabala of the widest degree of autonomy, compatible with international treaties.

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FURTHER DETAILS.

LONDON, October 18th.

Details of the Locarno Conference agreements, gathered from French and German sources, show that in the Western Pact the signatory Powers guarantee the territorial status quo, including the preservation of the demilitarized zone.

Germany, Belgium and France bind themselves not to invade each other's territory, nor to resort to war under any circumstances except in self-defence or in the event of action against an aggressor state, according to the decision of the League of Nations.

A mutual defence guarantee is entered into between France, Poland and Czechoslovakia.

All juridical disputes are amenable to Judges; all others to a conciliation committee, with the power to appeal to the League Council.

In the event of a breach of the Treaty, or refusal to submit to arbitration or abide by the arbitration verdict, the injured party can apply to the League Council and at the Council's bidding the signatories will immediately come to the injured party's assistance.

DOMINIONS NOT COMMITTED.

The Pact, which does not commit the British Dominions, will not operate until Germany has entered the League.

The Arbitration Treaties between Germany and France and Belgium are guaranteed by Britain and Italy. The Pact will become inoperative if two-thirds of the Members of the Council of the League agree that it is no longer necessary.

In connection with Article XVI of the League Covenant, the French version states that France and Britain signed a declaration, whereby they recognise that contribution by the League members, in case of actual or threatened aggression, must be limited to their means.

The German version says that a collective Note will be presented on the signature of the agreement in London on December 1st, stating that the three kinds of action therein stipulated are not binding on Germany, who may exercise her option as regards participation in any of those measures.

LATEST CABLES.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

FOOTBALL AT HOME.

RESULTS OF MATCHES PLAYED
ON SATURDAY.

LONDON, October 17th.

Following are the results of matches played to-day in the English and Scottish Leagues:—

THE LEAGUE: FIRST DIVISION.

Arsenal, 3; Cardiff City, 0.
Aston Villa, 3; Birmingham, 3.
Bolton W., 2; Blackburn R., 2.
Burnley, 1; Everton, 2.
Leeds U., 0; Huddersfield T., 4.
Leicester C., 3; W. Bromwich A., 0.
Liverpool, 2; Manchester C., 1.
Manchester U., 0; Tottenham, 0.
Newcastle U., 0; Sunderland, 0.
Notts County, 4; Bury, 1.
W. Ham U., 1; Sheffield U., 3.

SECOND DIVISION.

Fulham, 0; Clapton C., 2.
Middlesbrough, 3; Darlington, 2.
Oldham A., 3; Port Vale, 2.
Portsmouth, 3; Blackpool, 0.
Preston N.E., 4; Hull City, 0.
The Wednesday, 1; Derby C., 4.
South Shields, 0; Chelsea, 0.
Stockport, 1; Barnsley, 1.
Stoke C., 1; Bradford C., 0.
Swansea T., 3; Notts F., 0.
Whamptown W., 4; Hampton, 1.

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

B'mouth and B.A., 1; Southern U., 2.
Bristol R., 1; Brentford, 2.
Charlton A., 3; Norwich C., 0.
Exeter C., 1; Bristol C., 1.
Gillingham, 0; Millwall, 0.
Luton T., 3; Brighton and H.A., 3.
Merthyr T., 5; Northampton, 2.
Newport C., 0; Aberdare A., 0.
Queen's Pk. R., 2; Watford, 0.
Reading, 1; Plymouth A., 1.
Swindon T., 3; Crystal Pal., 1.

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

Accrington S., 3; Coventry C., 1.
Bradford, 4; Lincoln C., 1.
Chesterfield, 4; Crewe A., 2.
Durham C., 0; Nelson, 0.
Grimsby T., 3; Southport, 2.
Halifax T., 5; Wrexham, 0.
Hartlepool U., 2; Barrow, 0.
Rochdale, 1; Ashington, 3.
Rotherham U., 1; Doncaster R., 1.
Tyasmore R., 3; Wigan Boro, 1.
Walsall, 3; New Brighton, 1.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

Clydebank, 3; Partick T., 2.
Cowdenbeath, 3; Raith R., 1.
Dundee, 3; Aberdeen, 2.
Falkirk, 2; Airdrieonians, 1.
Hamilton A., 0; Motherwell, 2.
Hibernians, 0; Hearts, 0.
Kilmarnock, 2; Hibernians, 0.
Morton, 3; St. Johnstone, 1.
Rangers, 3; Dundee U., 1.
Rangers, 1; Celtic, 0.

WIN FOR CORINTHIANS.

In a friendly match, the Corinthians XI. defeated the Oxford University XI. by 6 goals to 2. The game was played at the Crystal Palace.

EARLIER CABLES.

PRINCE OF WALES.

RECEIVES GREAT WELCOME ON
HIS RETURN.

LONDON, October 18th.

H.M.S. *Repulse* berthed punctually at noon to the salute of guns and the cheers of the populace occupying every vantage point.

The Prince of Wales waved his hat from the bridge. As it was raining hard, the Prince invited the Mayor and Corporation of Portsmouth on board the *Repulse* where they presented an address congratulating the Prince on the conclusion of his tour and expressing the belief that his visits to West Africa and South Africa had been of incalculable value in uniting and strengthening the Empire. The visit to South America would cement friendly Anglo-South American relations.

The Prince, replying, said his reception everywhere had been the kindest and most hospitable.

Subsequently in pouring rain the Prince was tipped off the ship to loud cheers and the crashing of bands.

He entered the Royal train for London obviously touched by the warmth of his reception.

WELCOME AT VICTORIA.

At Victoria Station, the King and Queen, Princess Mary, Prince Arthur, the Duke of Connaught, and other Royal members of the family, Cabinet Ministers and diplomats welcomed the Prince who was accompanied by the Duke of York and Prince Henry who met their brother at Portsmouth.

On arrival at Victoria at three in the afternoon, the Prince, in the uniform of the Welsh Guards, was greeted by the King. He affectionately kissed the Queen.

At the conclusion of the formalities, the drive to the Palace was the occasion of wild scenes of enthusiasm and loud cheers.

"WE WANT OUR PRINCE."

There was a remarkable scene at Buckingham Palace after the return of the Prince of Wales.

An enormous crowd in front of the Palace chanted: "We want our Prince." Finally the King and Queen, the Prince of Wales, Princess Mary, Lord Lascelles, the Duke and Duchess of York, the Duke of Connaught, and Prince Arthur appeared on the balcony.

The King and Prince stood for some moments bare-headed, bowing and smiling.

The Prince repeatedly waved his hand to the crowd, which showed tremendous enthusiasm.

MR. HAYLEY MORRIS.

UNDER ARREST ON GRAVE
CHARGE IN SUSSEX.

LONDON, October 17th.

Mr. Hayley Morris, aged 37, living at Pippingford Park, an estate of 1,000 acres at Nutley, Sussex, and his housekeeper, Madeline Roberts, aged 20, were charged at Uckfield Police Court, to-day, with conspiring to procure a girl of fifteen "in order that Morris might casually know her."

Both were remanded, bail being refused. Mr. Morris is well-known in Sussex. He is very wealthy, having made a fortune in China.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

WITHDRAWAL OF GOLD FOR
U.S.A. CAUSES CONCERN.

LONDON, October 17th.

Yesterday's further large gold withdrawal of nearly 22,000,000 from the Bank of England, is causing a certain amount of concern in City circles, though it is generally thought that the withdrawals were due to the customary Autumn drain for America.

However, the possibility of an early rise in the bank rate is freely discussed, as since the return to the Gold Standard in April, gold resources have already been diminished by over two millions.

WEMBLEY EXHIBITION.

AFFAIRS TO BE PLACED IN
LIQUIDATORS' HANDS.

LONDON, October 17th.

The Authorities of the British Empire Exhibition, at Wembley, have decided to place its affairs in the hands of liquidators.

THE OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

The official statement says that in view of the fact that there is no intention of continuing the British Empire Exhibition next year, it has been decided to take the usual and obvious course in the case of temporary associations by placing the Exhibition in the charge of liquidators soon as possible after October 31st, for the purpose of realising the assets and discharging the liabilities.

Extraordinary general meetings of the British Empire Association will be held on October 20th and November 10th to appoint liquidators.

EARLIER CABLES.

COAL COMMISSION.

ADJOURNS AFTER HEARING
EVIDENCE OF MR. GOWERS.

LONDON, October 18th.

The Coal Commission adjourned until October 27th after Mr. Ernest Gowers, Permanent Under Secretary of Mines, had been closely examined by Mr. Herbert Smith.

Mr. Gowers agreed that the time must come when the coal output would drop continuously unless new and up-to-date machinery could be introduced.

He stated that the output per man per shift in Great Britain was 17½ cwt. Mr. Gowers was understood to agree that "other costs," including directors' fees and managers' salaries had risen out of proportion to wages.

Replying to Sir J. Beveridge with regard to the possibilities of increasing output by the introduction of more and better machinery, Mr. Gowers agreed that great hopes lay in that direction.

Mr. Evan Williams said that the owners were contemplating the matter.

Mr. Smith retorted: "Ever since we have known you, you have been contemplating it."

Mr. Williams replied that the owners had greatly increased the number of machines.

S.S. "LAOMEDON."

DAMAGED VESSEL ARRIVES AT
AT SUEZ IN TOW.

LONDON, October 18th.

A message from Port Said says that the steamer *Laomedon* has arrived at Suez towing the *Laomedon*.

The British steamer *Laomedon* from Yokohama and Penang to New York, which left Colombo on September 29th, reported on October 6th that she lost her propeller in latitude 10° 10' North longitude 81° 42' East, owing to a fracture in the tail end of the shaft.

WAR DEBTS.

ESTHONIA TO FIND AMOUNT
DUE TO U.S.A.

REVAL, October 18th.

The Government has authorized the Minister at Washington to conclude an agreement for funding the Estonian debt to America amounting to \$14,000,000 on the lines of Polish and American debt settlement.

RUSSO-GERMAN TREATY.

BERLIN, October 18th.

One of the first results of the conclusion of the Russo-German commercial treaty is the renewal of the Russo-German agreement for the supply of petroleum between the Deutsche Erdöl Company and the Russian foreign trade organization.

FAR EASTERN CABLE

NEWS.

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

THE YELLOW PERIL.

FORMER KAISER AGAIN SEES
DANGER IMMINENT.

A PRESS INTERVIEW.

LONDON, October 18th.

Former Kaiser Wilhelm says: "The Yellow Peril, which I predicted 30 years ago, has arisen in grim earnest."

The sentence summarises a gloomy interview between the former Kaiser and the Observer's Commissioner at Doorn, complaining incidentally that the Peace Treaty contains a secret clause, wherein America, England and France are designated as potential antagonists. It proceeds that the long-forever triple alliance in Asia against the White Races—primarily the Anglo-Saxon bloc—will become a reality.

Wilhelm cites reports, whose origin he does not specify, to the effect that 300,000 men who are paid by Moscow and armed and equipped by Japan are held in readiness for China in case of emergency.

Japan is building warships herself in Russia; while China is probably raising an army of 800,000 men, trained and commanded exclusively by Russian and Japanese officers.

FLIRTATION OF FRANCE.

Wilhelm complains, however, that France is indulging in flirtation with Russia and Japan at the expense of the Anglo-Saxon bloc. He is of opinion that Germany constitutes the breach in the Western wall, through which the Bolsheviks and their Asiatic allies will pour their yellow hordes in the final onslaught on Europe.

Therefore, if London, Paris and Washington desire to avert a catastrophe, Germany must be rearméd and put again on her feet, or "all is lost."

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LATEST CABLES.

(REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.)

DISASTER AT SEA.

S.S. "COMANCHE" ABANDONED
WHEN ON FIRE.

TEN SOULS MISSING.

NEW YORK, October 18th.

The Clyde liner *Comanche*, en route from Jacksonville to New York, was abandoned after last night, off Mayport, Florida. Ten persons are missing; many are burned and injured. Survivors among passengers and crew were brought to Mayport after rescue by the tanker *Reaper* and the pilot boat *Nota*.

The fire started in the forward hold and spread to naval stores in the cargo. It was soon beyond control.

Most of the missing are believed to have been among the 40 passengers, who were thrown into the water when two lifeboats were crushed between the *Reaper* and the burning vessel.

A HECTIC WEEK.

CULMINATES IN RECORDS BEING
BROKEN ON U.S. MARKET.

NEW YORK, October 18th.

A week of hectic dealings on the Stock Market culminated in record-breaking transactions, aggregating one and a half million dollars.

Francic buying caused industrialists to rise from one to eleven points suddenly amid the pandemonium of buyers, who held off. A decline set in and hundreds of outside customers were alarmed to discover from the tape that prices were falling madly. They unloaded stocks in the scramble to cut their losses. Prices subsequently collapsed from two to ten points from the highest.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

AMERICA AND SOVIETS.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE INTERESTED
IN POSSIBLE DEVELOPMENTS.

WASHINGTON, October 17th.

President Coolidge has noted with interest the published reports that the Soviets might be willing to recognise the war-time debt of Russia to America, amounting according to American figures to \$255,000,000.

The acknowledgment of this obligation would remove one of the obstacles to American recognition of the Soviet Government.

HONEYMOON EXPRESS CRASHES.

THE PILOT AND TWO REPORTERS
ARE KILLED.

SALISBURY, Penn., October 17th.

The so-called "Honey Moon Express," returning from the air-races to-day, crashed. The pilot and two newspaper reporters were killed.

There were no bride couples aboard.

ANTHRACITE COAL STRIKE.

SHORTAGE HAS NOW BECOME
"ALMOST SERIOUS."

NEW YORK, October 17th.

The State Coal Commission announces that the anthracite shortage, as a result of the strike, has become almost as serious as during the acutest period of the coal strike three years ago. Nevertheless it believes that there is little ground for apprehension, if proper use is made of substitutes.

SITUATION IN NORTH.

SUN CHUAN-FANG HAS NOW
REACHED SHANGHAI.

DENOUNCES CHANG TAO LIN.

SHANGHAI, October 17th.

General Sun Chuan-fang, Military Governor of Chekiang and a supporter of the Christian General (Feng Yu Hsiang) has entered Shanghai.

He has issued a proclamation, denouncing Marshal Chang Tso Lin, the Manchurian War Lord. The Chekiang troops are following up the latter's forces to Nanking. A Peking message states that a mandate is being issued, instructing General Sun Chuan-fang to withdraw his troops to their original stations, since the withdrawal of Chang Tso Lin's troops from Shanghai has removed the former's grievance.

WARLIKE SIGNS.

SHANGHAI, October 18th.

The Fengtien forces have established a temporary front at Yangtze, where they have destroyed another bridge. The Chekiang troops are 17 miles distant. Railway men have repaired the former damages to the line.

NEWS FROM PEKING.

PEKING, October 18th.

No important military movements are reported to-day.

General opinion in most Chinese circles appears to be that war between Chekiang and Kiangsu is almost inevitable, though some quarters state that the Fengtien are willing to withdraw from Kiangsu in order to preserve peace.

Officials express the hope that if the conflict starts, it will not spread elsewhere and will not affect the date of the opening or subsequent proceedings of the Tariff Conference.

Mr. Silas Strawn and other delegates arrived at Peking this afternoon.

MORE STUDENT UNREST.

SHANGHAI, October 18th.

Student agitators are taking advantage of the war situation to revive the anti-British feeling in Shanghai.

A meeting of 1,500, mostly students, at Chapei to-day denounced the Fengtien as betrayers of China and vilified General Shing Si Lien for closing the Labour Unions. They passed a resolution, demanding the re-opening of the Unions and complete freedom for student, patriotic activities.

They also denounced the Judicial Enquiry into the happenings of May 20th.

RAILWAY INTERRUPTIONS.

SHANGHAI, October 17th.

The Hanchow Railway is running, but the Shanghai to Nanking Railway is interrupted. Rails have been torn up and a culvert destroyed.

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LOCAL SPORT

FOOTBALL

The following are the results in the Hongkong League played on Saturday:

DIVISION I.
H.K.F.C. 3; R.A. 1.
East Surreys 3; Hongkong Police 2.
H.M.S. Tamar 1; South China 0.
Kowloon 3; Club de Recreio 1.

DIVISION II.
East Surreys Res. 3; St. Joseph's 0.
R.A. Res. 2; East Surreys Drums 1.
Club de Recreio Res. 1; H.K.F.C. Res. 0.
South China "A" 2; Kowloon Res. 1.

H.K.F.C. v. R.A.

A good number of people witnessed this game on the H.K.F.C. ground. The home team winning the toss set the R.A. to defend against the sun.

Play opened very even, the R.A. becoming dangerous when Summers gave a corner. The Club cleared the flag kick and transferred. Key sending behind. A free kick for the R.A. gave them a chance but Bishop cleared and good combination between Johnstone and Howard led up to the opening goal, Moore throwing himself full length to stop a well placed shot by Johnstone.

After this reverse the R.A. took up the attack and Rodger saved from a fine shot by Sowler, the goal-keeper just clearing at the expense of a corner. The R.A. failed to make use of this advantage and good work by Key transferred, but he sent well behind. Rodger cleared another shot from Sowler and at the other end Brodie was given a good opening but turned the ball outside the posts. Play was very even, each goal being visited in turn.

Moore came out to clear and another visit by the Club found Howard offside. Hemsforth after running close in shot wide and at the other end Duddy cleared from Howard. Key sent over a dropping centre that had Moore beaten, but Brodie returned behind. Summers beat Hemsforth and Forsyth gave Brodie a good opening but the latter dallied and Duddy cleared. Forsyth was wide with a low drive and the R.A. coming through on the right, Bishop beat Harris and turned the ball into touch near the flag. Half-time, H.K.F.C. 1, R.A. 0.

Harris went to the outside position on restarting. Early in the second half the R.A. levelled up. Taking advantage of a well placed centre by Harris, Hemsforth ran through the defence and from close range gave Rodger no chance with a well placed shot. With the score one goal all, play livened up. Howard when nicely placed failed to accept a pass and Duddy cleared.

Offside against the R.A. inside left spoilt a good opening for the Gunners, and Reade coming through lifted the ball over the bar. The civilians forced a corner but failed to turn the flag kick to account. Johnstone sent over the top from long range and Key tested Moore with a fine screw shot. The Club were now having most of the play and Forsyth with fine judgment sent the ball into the net giving Moore no chance. Being a goal down the R.A. tried hard to pull the game round but the home middle line prevented any attempt at combination while Bishop and Summers kicked and tackled well. Moore punched away from a shot by Brodie and Stewart from long range sent in wide. The R.A. broke away but Hemsforth was wide with his shot. Again the R.A. came through but offside against them relieved. Over the top and wide from Brodie's next two efforts and offside by Forsyth kept the score down and a fine cross shot from Key was saved by Moore. Johnstone also was wild with his shot and the R.A. taking play to the other end, Sowler sent behind. The R.A. came through again and Bishop turned the ball behind. With the ball in play the final whistle sounded with the home side winners by the odd goal in three.

There was little to choose between the teams and had the goal-keepers changed over the R.A. would have probably won the match. Rodger had more to do in goal than the R.A. keeper. The R.A. forwards showed the better combination but the Club defence, assisted by strong middle line, played well.

The teams were:—
H.K.F.C.—G. Rodger; Summers and Bishop; Main, Stewart and Watson; Brodie, Forsyth, Howard, Johnstone and Key.

R.A.—Moore; Trim and Duddy; Kilgour, Rachell and Viccars; Pulford, Harris, Reade, Hemsforth and Sowler. Referee: Mr. Windler.

EAST SURREYS v. POLICE

On the Garrison ground at Sookunpoo these teams put up a good fight in the opening half of the game when the match was won and lost, all the scoring taking place during this half.

The game opened with the East Surreys attacking but Clarke was on top of his form and cleared good shots from all the inside forwards. Butler opened the score for the Surreys after seven minutes' play following a shot from Macklesworth which Clarke had nipped out. The soldiers again took up the attack and Harle conceded a corner which Clarke cleared. At the other end the Police forced a corner which was also cleared. Cornwall running in took advantage of a miskick by Jordan and beat Douglas with a well placed shot, making the score one all. The Surreys at once took up the attack and Macklesworth taking the ball on the run from a fine centre by Charlesworth gave Clarke no chance and made the score two to one in favour of the East Surreys. Meanwhile, the latter again took up the attack and during the pressure Harle nipped in the penalty area. McGraw took the kick and sent the ball into the net.

From the centre kick the Police got away and Cooper pulled the ball down in the penalty area. Wynne took the kick and beat Douglas, making the score three to two. At the interval the score was, Surreys 3, Police 2.

The second half found the East Surreys on top but the Police defended well, Wynne and Clarke giving a fine display in their respective positions. The final whistle sounded with the half-time score unaltered.

The teams were:—
East Surrey Regt.—Douglas, Cooper and Jordan; Mitchell, McGraw and Bristow; Charlesworth, Easton, Humberstone, Butler and Macklesworth.

Police.—A. E. Clarke; Wynne and Harle; Brittain, Oram and Post; Cornwall, McEwan, Dr. Valentine, Noonan and Randall.

Referee: Mr. Smyth.

H.M.S. "TAMAR" v. SOUTH CHINA

These teams met on the Garrison ground at 3.15 p.m. and a fast game ended in a win for the sailors by a goal to nil. The play opened tamely but South China soon got into their stride and a shot from Cheung Kam Chuen just missed.

With this let-off the sailors took up the attack but Chan So nipped in and beat Chadwick when about to shoot. Good work by South China's left gave Wong Pak Chong a good opening but he failed to find the mark. South China forced two corners in succession, Wavish clearing the second kick in fine style. Lau Hing Chong left his goal to clear from Chadwick. Wavish saved from Suen Kam Shun. Play continued very even, the middle lines holding the opposing attacks.

At the interval there was no score. From the restart South China took up the attack but Wong Pak Chong shot wide from close range. Chan So beat Chadwick and sent well forward, but the sailors returned and Summers with a good opening failed. South China took the ball to the other end and Wavish was called upon to defend. At the other end Lau came out to clear from Gray. Lean returned and Chadwick going down the wing sent over a fine centre that had the South China defence guessing and Rokin running in made no mistake, beating Lau from close range, thereby winning the game for the sailors.

South China got away from the centre-kick and for a time worried the sailors' defence. South China raised their supporters' hopes when Chan Kwong Lu gained possession but the winger after a fine effort sent the ball into the side of the net. A fine effort by Suen Kam Shun was negated by Wong Pak Chong who with only Wavish to beat lifted the ball over the bar.

With South China attacking the final whistle sounded with the sailors winning by a goal to nil.

The teams were:—
H.M.S. Tamar.—Wavish; Footer and Lean; Sandy, Carter and Regan; Chadwick, Blake, Gray, Summers and Roken. South China.—Lau Hing Cheung; Chan So and Ng Kam Chuen; Leung Yuk Tong, Wong Shu Wo and Lam Yuk Ying; Cheung Kam Chuen, Suen Kam Shun, Wong Pak Chong, Leung Wing Tak and Chan Kwong Lu.

Referee: Mr. Baldwin.

KOWLOON v. CLUB DE RECREIO

These teams met on the Railway ground at Kowloon and the game ended in a win for Kowloon by 3 goals to 1.

The game opened very even and after fifteen minutes' play, Gosano gave the Recreio the lead. Kowloon soon made matters even, McBride scoring from close range.

Kowloon now held the upper hand but good work by the Recreio defence kept the score down. Half-time, score: Kowloon 1, Recreio 1.

The second half was easily in favour of Kowloon and Cavell gave them the lead. Before the final whistle sounded Austin had put the home team further ahead, Kowloon winning by 3 goals to 1.

The teams were:—
Kowloon.—Vickers; Wheeler and Read; Turner, McKelvie and Duncan; Taylor, McBride, Cavell, Austin and Mason.

Club de Recreio.—Fernandez; Orley and D. Xavier; Souza, A. A. Braudon and H. Remedios; Silva, Furtos, Gosano, Rocha and Brown.

Referee: Mr. F. Smith.

SECOND DIVISION

SOUTH CHINA "A" v. KOWLOON RESERVES

Playing at home, South China defeated Kowloon Reserves by the odd goal in three. A penalty against Kowloon early in the game gave South China the lead, Ip Kau scoring from the spot kick. Kowloon levelled up after ten minutes' play in the second half but Lau Kau put on the winning goal just before the final whistle sounded.

H.K.F.C. RESERVE v. CLUB DE RECREIO

On the H.K.F.C. ground the visitors scored a win by a goal to nil. The home team had the assistance of Gerrard, last year's senior captain. The game was well contested and after a blank first half, Silva scored the only goal of the match.

R.A. RES. v. EAST SURREYS DRUMS

At Sookunpoo the Drums failed to maintain their form of last week, going down to the R.A. by 2 goals to 1.

EAST SURREYS RES. v. ST. JOSEPH'S

The Surreys had an easy win over the College on the Sookunpoo ground, winning by 3 goals to nil.

DIVISION II. (B).

NEXT SATURDAY'S GAMES.

The following Division II, Section B, matches in the Hongkong League are arranged for next Saturday:—

East Surreys Drums Res. v. Kowloon "B." Hongkong Football Club ground.
St. Joseph's Reserves v. Club de Recreio "B." St. Joseph's ground.

South China "B" v. Moslem Club "B." Sookunpoo "B" ground.

South China "B" v. University, South China ground.

Moslem Club "B" v. St. Joseph's Boarders, St. Joseph's ground.

CHARITY MATCH

A charity football match, H.M.S. Ambrose and H.M.S. Carville v. the 1st Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, in aid of the dependants of the late Chief Painter A. Brenton, H.M.S. Ambrose, and the late Stoker P.O.G. May, H.M.S. Carville, is to be played at Sookunpoo this afternoon.

The kick-off is at 4.15 p.m. and prices of admission will be: Covered stands 60 cents, open stands 30 cents.

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Barometer	29.94	29.99	29.97	
Temperature	77	73	76	
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Weather	B	B	C	
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TENNIS PARTY.

UNIVERSITY EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY HOLD FUNCTION.

An enjoyable tennis party arranged by the Education Society of the Hongkong University was held yesterday afternoon on the University Sports Ground, Pokfulam.

Yesterday's function was well attended. Among those present were Mr. W. W. Hornell, C.I.E., M.A. (Vice-Chancellor of the Hongkong University), Professor J. W. N. Smith, M.A. (President of the Educational Society), Professor J. L. Shellshear, D.S.O., M.B., Ch.M., and Mrs. Shellshear, Professor W. J. Hinton, M.A., Professor R. K. M. Simpson, M.A., M.C., Mr. A. W. Hett, B.A., Professor L. Forster, B.A. (Registrar), Mr. Lun Chai Chiu (Chairman of the Society), Mr. Pun Shiu Lun (Hon. Secretary of the Society), Mr. Fung Yui Shiu (Hon. Treasurer of the Society), Mr. B. Tanner (Headmaster of Queen's College) and Mr. W. Kay (Queen's College).

A series of tennis matches were played during the afternoon.

Following tea at the Pavilion, a speech of welcome was delivered by the Chairman of the Society, Mr. Lun Chai Chiu who said: "Some of these guests are friends of the Society from whose hands we have derived much assistance. Others are friends of our members whose kind presence is very much appreciated. Others are associate members whose interest in the affairs of the Society is to us a matter of great encouragement."

Perhaps we may be justly proud of the fact that of all students' clubs within the University the Education Society is the first to hold a meeting of this kind. The reason for holding such a meeting is not far to seek. Somehow or other, sooner or later, we are compelled to realize that we are more or less intellectually overfed and socially starved. Within the academic walls of the lecture rooms we have had "enough of Science and of Art"; inside the soporific cubicles in the hostels we find that books are but a "dull and endless strife". So, by way of escape we have decided to "close up those barren leaves" and to hold an "At Home." When the sky is clear and blue, when the lawn is green and smooth, when the autumn breeze is willynilly blowing, how refreshing it is for us to meet our friends on the tennis courts. The game not only furnishes a happy relief to the mental indignation from the malicious effects of which very few of us are at present exempted, but also provides a rare opportunity for an open air tête-à-tête which is rendered much more agreeable by a cup of tea and a dish of sandwiches. So this pleasant way of spending an afternoon is not a mere waste of time but a momentary release from the sterner reality of undergraduate life, not a mere waste of energy but a great recuperative force for the coming battles in December.

This meeting has an important function to perform. We feel highly honoured when we see that educators of both sexes are fully represented here to-day. From them I should like to ask a favour. Kindly look upon this community which interests itself in education not as an Education Society of Hongkong University, but as an Education Society of Hongkong. I understand that the teaching profession in this Colony has long felt the want of a tie which should bind the members of that noble profession together. This want, it is the duty and pleasure of the Education Society to supply. All of us must have realised that the progress of education in this Colony mainly depends upon the harmonious co-operation of those who study education from the point of view of theory, and those who understand the meaning of education from experience. With this end in view we early in the year sent out appeals for associate membership to various educational institutions, but so far the response has not been as satisfactory as we expected. Nevertheless the thing to remember is this. The Education Society stands for the Education Society of Hongkong, and our Honorary Secretary is always pleased to supply any information required.

THANKS TO HELPERS.

The very words Hon. Secretary reminds me of the fact that it is my duty to thank him first and foremost for the timely arrangement and the great success of this meeting. Professor Smith will certainly agree with me when I say Mr. Pun Shiu Lun is an ideal man for the honorary post of secretary, and to render a paucity is but a gratuitous form. Also I should like very much to thank the Athletic Association and the Tennis Club for the use of the Pavilion and the tennis courts, Queen's College for the loan of tennis posts, Elliot Hall for the use of the gramophone and the pingpong table, May Hall for the loan of 12 Cantonese gramophone records, and those who have contributed, in one way or another, to the success of this meeting.

TESTIMONY TO MR. TANNER.

With your leave, ladies and gentlemen, I venture to make a slight digression. The presence of Mr. Tanner, Headmaster of Queen's College, is extremely gratifying. It is natural that one should look back upon one's Alma Mater with a mixed feeling of love and respect; it is again natural that one should transfer this mixed feeling to that great personality who is inseparably connected with it. To O.Q.C.'s Mr. Tanner, whose length of service in that venerable establishment of learning is too well-known, stands for Queen's College. In the name of all O.Q.C.'s at the Variety I should like to ask Mr. Tanner to carry back to England our dear memory and our best wishes for a happy life in retirement. More tennis followed, and in addition to these games there was also pingpong and selections were dispensed by the gramophone. An enjoyable gathering was brought to a close at six o'clock.



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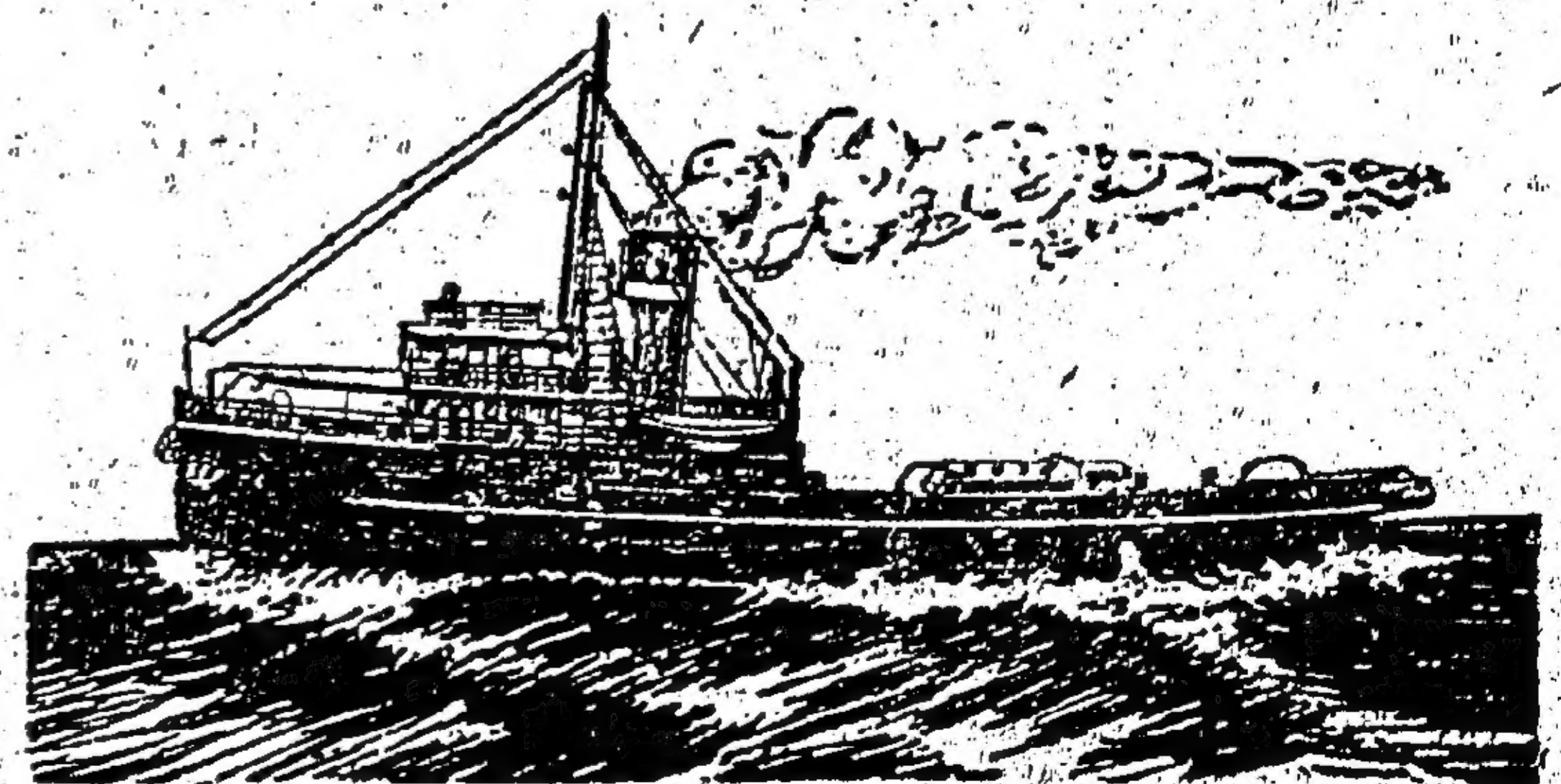
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The R. M. S. *Empress of Canada* arrived at Kobe on October 15th at 8 a. m., left on October 16th at 10 a. m., and was due at Woonusut at 4 a. m., yesterday. She was to leave Woonusut yesterday evening at 9 o'clock.

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AGENTS FOR THE FOLLOWING SERVICES.

**NEW YORK BOSTON & BALTIMORE
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S.S. "LANGTON HALL" ... via Suez Canal ... 28th October
S.S. "CITY OF EVANSVILLE" ... 28th November**BOSTON & NEW YORK
AMERICAN & ORIENTAL LINE**

S.S. "FORRESBANK" ... via Suez Canal ... 1st November

**UNITED KINGDOM & CONTINENT
"ELLERMAN" LINE**

(ELLERMAN & BUCKNALL S.S. Co., Ltd.)

S.S. "CITY OF TAKIO" ... 28th October
For London, Dunkirk, Rotterdam & Hamburg.FARES TO LONDON "A" 1st Class 288. "B" 2nd Class 260.
"B" 1st Class 230. "B" 2nd Class 235.**MAURITIUS & SOUTH AFRICA
ORIENTAL-AFRICAN LINE**S.S. "SURAT" ... Middle of November
Loading for Mauritius, Delagoa Bay, Durban, East London, Algoa Bay, Port Elizabeth, Mossel Bay and Capetown.
Through Bills of Lading issued to Beira, Quilimane, Ibo, Port Amelia, Mozambique, Inhambane, Zanzibar, Mombassa, Kilindini, Port Nolloth, Luderitz Bay, Walvis Bay, and Madagascar.**AUSTRAL-EAST INDIES LINE**

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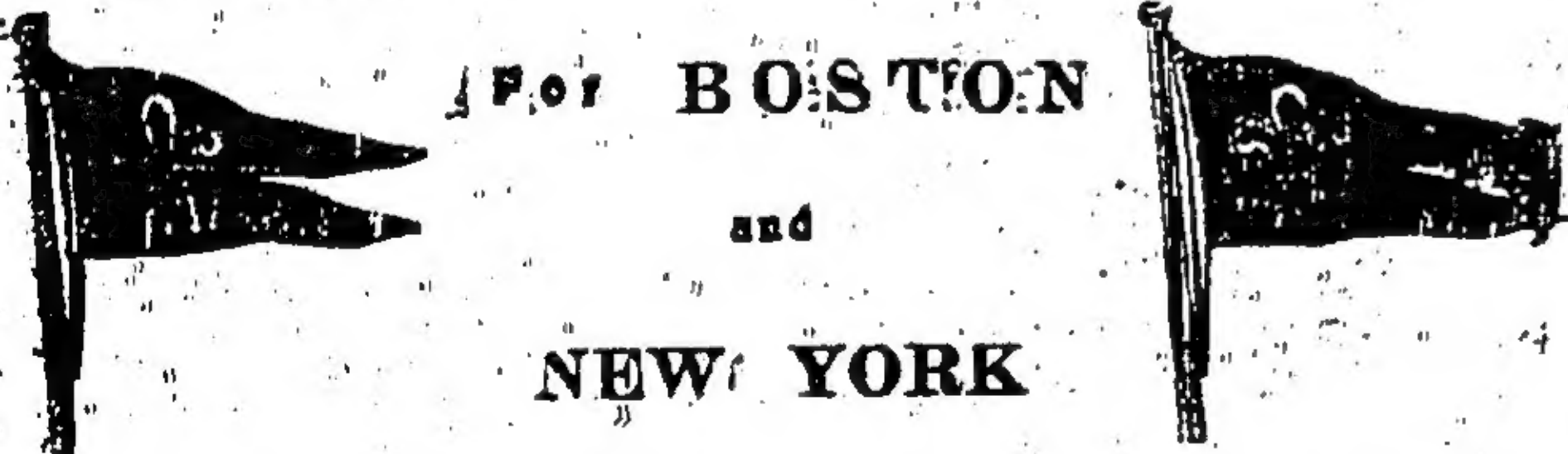
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S.S. "LANGTON HALL" ... via Suez Canal ... 28th Oct.
S.S. "FYRRHUS" ... via Suez Canal ... 19th Nov.
S.S. "CITY OF EVANSVILLE" ... via Suez Canal ... 28th Nov.(Steamers proceed via Suez Canal or Panama Canal at Owners' option.
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DIRECT ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.**
(Under Contract with H.M. Government.)

S.S.	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
"SICILIA"	6,512	28th Oct.	S'pore, Penang, Colombo & B'way.
"KRIVA"	9,138	31st Oct. Noon	Marr., Casa Blanca, London, Hull & Antwerp.
"MANTUA"	10,902	14th Nov.	Marseilles & London.
"KALYAN"	9,144	23rd Nov.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp.
"KASHMIR"	8,985	10th Dec.	S'pore, Penang, Colombo & B'way.
"MOREA"	10,811	18th Dec.	Marseilles & London.
"KASHGAR"	9,005	26th Dec.	Marr., London & Antwerp.
1926			
"MAEDONIA"	11,089	9th Jan.	Marseilles & London.
"KHYBER"	9,114	23rd Jan.	Marseilles, London & A'werp.
"DELTA"	8,097	4th Feb.	S'pore, Penang, Colombo & B'way.
"MALWA"	10,941	20th Feb.	Marseilles & London.
"KARMALA"	9,089	29th Feb.	Marr., L'bon, & A'werp.
"MANTUA"	10,902	5th Mar.	Marseilles & London.
"KASHMIR"	8,985	13th Mar.	Marr., L'bon, & A'werp.
"KHIVA"	9,135	20th Mar.	do.
"MOREA"	10,811	3rd Apr.	Marseilles & London.
"KALYAN"	9,144	17th Apr.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp.
"MAEDONIA"	11,089	1st May	Marseilles & London.
"KASHGAR"	9,005	15th May	Marseilles, London & Antwerp.

Frequent connections from Port Said for Passengers and Cargo to Constantinople, P'raas, Smyrna, and other Levant Ports by steamers of the Rhederial Mail Steamship Co.

BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS

"TALMA"	10,000	26th Oct.	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.
"TILAWA"	10,000	30th Nov.	do.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS (South)

"ST. ALBANS"	4,500	4th Nov.	Manila, Sandakan, Thursday Island, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney & Melbourne.
"CANDA"	4,500	2nd Dec.	do.
"ARAFURA"	4,500	6th Jan.	do.
"ST. ALBANS"	4,500	3rd Feb.	do.
"TANDA"	4,500	3rd Mar.	do.
"ARAFURA"	4,500	7th April	do.

The P. & O. S.S. Co., Ltd. steamers will also call at Shanghai, Hankow, Tientsin, Kobe, Yokohama, Manila, Cebu, Singapore, Java, and other ports en route as indicated on the following—

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The New Zealand Shipping Co.'s Steamers for Southampton and London via Panama Canal.**SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI AND JAPAN**

"GARRETT"	5,387	22nd Oct.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"KALYAN"	9,144	31st Oct.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"SANTHA"	8,500	1st Nov.	Moji & Kobe.
"TANDA"	4,500	7th Nov.	Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"TILAWA"	10,000	13th Nov.	do.
"MOREA"	10,811	14th Nov.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"KASHMIR"	8,985	14th Nov.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"KASHGAR"	9,005	20th Nov.	do.
"BOULDA"	4,606	25th Nov.	Shanghai & Kobe.
"MAEDONIA"	11,089	14th Dec.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"ARAFURA"	4,500	15th Dec.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"KHYBER"	9,114	28th Dec.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
1926			
"MALWA"	10,941	9th Jan.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"DELTA"	8,097	9th Jan.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"KARMALA"	9,089	23rd Jan.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"MANTUA"	10,902	5th Feb.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"KASHMIR"	8,985	6th Feb.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"TANDA"	4,500	6th Feb.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"KHIVA"	9,135	20th Feb.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"MOREA"	10,811	6th Mar.	do.
"ARAFURA"	4,500	13th Mar.	Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"KALYAN"	9,144	20th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"MAEDONIA"	11,089	2nd Apr.	do.
"ST. ALBANS"	4,500	10th Apr.	Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"KASHGAR"	9,005	16th Apr.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.

All dates are approximate and subject to alteration without notice.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY FITTED ON ALL STEAMERS.

Passengers for Baggage must delay their own Hotel expenses at Singapore while waiting the on carrying steamer.
All Cables are fitted with Electric Fans free of charge.
Parcels Measuring not more than 24 ft. x 2 ft. x 1 ft. will be received at the Company's Office up to Noon on the day previous to sailing.For Further Information, Passage Fares, Freight, Handicrafts, etc., apply to—
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REGULAR SERVICE of Fast, High Class Coast Steamers having good accommodation for First-Class Passengers, Electric Light and Fans in Staterooms, Saloons and Exquisite cuisine.**FOR
SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW**AND RETURN
(Occupying 9 or 10 Days)"HAINING" ... Capt. W. C. Patterson, ... Tuesday, 26th Oct. 3 p.m.
Calling at Swatow and Amoy for Passengers only.Arrivals and Departures from the Company's Wharf (near Hyde Road).
Board Trip Tickets will be issued from Hongkong to Fochow (Gaspard) and return by the same steamer by the "HAINING," "HAINSONG" and "HAINING" at the Reduced Rate of \$50.00 including 200 lbs. while the steamer is in Port.
For Freight and Passage apply to—**DOUGLAS LAFRAIR & CO.**
General Managers**CHINA NAVIGATION CO.,**

LIMITED.

AMOI & SINGAPORE	"ANHUI"	On	20th Oct.	D.L.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"YUNNAN"	On	20th Oct.	5 p.m.
WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"HUICHOW"	On	21st Oct.	4 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SUNNING"	On	23rd Oct.	2 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"LIANGHONG"	On	27th Oct.	5 p.m.

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CARGO AND PASSAGE CAN BE ISSUED AT THE OFFICE OF BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

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Due Hongkong 13th October.

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MANILA, PORT BANGA, THURSDAY ISLAND, AND AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

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Excellent First and Second Class Passenger Accommodation at Reduced Rates.
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REGULAR MONTHLY PASSENGER AND FREIGHT SERVICE FOR BRINDISI, VENICE AND TRIESTE (GIUME).

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REDUCED PASSAGE RATES TO BRINDISI, VENICE OR TRIESTE.
\$66.**NEXT SAILINGS.**

OUTWARD FOR SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND MOJI.

S.S. "FIUME L"	...	Sails	10th Nov.
S.S. "FEBRIA"	...	Sails	12th Nov.
S.S. "VIMINALE"	...	Sails	10th Dec.

HOMEWARD FOR BRINDISI, VENICE AND TRIESTE.

S.S. "FIUME L"	...	Sails	1st Dec.
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M. MESSAGERIES MARITIMES M.

SERVICES CONTRACTUELS

Mail Steamers	Next Sailings from Marseilles	Pro. Arr. at High. and Sailings for S'hai and Japan.	Probable Sailings from Hongkong for Marseilles
D'ARTAGNAN	27th Oct. 1925
ANGKOR	10th Nov. "
ANGERS	24th Nov. "
ANDRE LEBON	8th Dec. "
PAUL LECAT	22nd Dec. "
AMBOISE	5th Jan. 1926

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Through Tickets to London and Leaving Towns of Europe.
Accommodation reserved in the Trains at Marseilles.**LIGNE COMMERCIALES (Cargo Boats).**

Loading for HAVRE ANTWERP

DRY, BENOT from DUNKIRK, LONDON & HAVRE 15th

Sailings subject to alteration without notice.

For full Particulars, apply to—

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COGNITION—TRAF-SIT—REPRESENTATION.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Postage stamps should be affixed in the right-hand top corner of the address side of all postal articles.

The Radio Service has reverted to normal hours of working. Messages may be handed in at any hour of the day or night during General Post Office hours at Radio Counter, Main Hall, at all other times messages should be taken through the corner entrance at Pedder Street and Des Voeux Road to the Radio Office on the 3rd floor of the building, these doors will be closed after 10 p.m. but admittance may be obtained by ringing the night-bell.

Radio Traffic with Canton is suspended until further notice.
Interport Radio Telegrams are subject to delay.
Messages in Code must have name of Code used included in text.

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
STRAITS	Kilano Maru ...	19th Oct.
JAPAN	Ati Maru ...	19th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Swanley ...	20th Oct.
CANADA, U.S.A., JAPAN, SHANGHAI & LONDON via Canada London 19th Sept.	Emp. of Canada ...	20th Oct.
JAPAN	Fushimi Maru ...	23rd Oct.
MAINTA	Pres. McKinley ...	23rd Oct.
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN & SHANGHAI	Pres. Jefferson ...	27th Oct.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A. & S. America, & EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 19th Nov.	Tango Maru ...	Monday, 19th, 8.45 A.M. Registration Letters 10.30 A.M.
Straits	Jason ...	10.00 A.M.
Shanghai	Tjondari ...	10.00 A.M.
Batavia, Samarang and Sourabaya	Nacassar Maru ...	1.30 P.M.
Swatow	Hydrangea ...	2.30 P.M.
Amoy	Anhui ...	5.00 P.M.
Hobow & Tourane	Nam Wah ...	5.00 P.M.
Shanghai and Japan	Kilano Maru ...	Tuesday, 20th, 10.30 A.M.
Straits and Calcutta	Kunming ...	11.30 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning ...	12.30 P.M.
Amoy	Yunnan ...	2.00 P.M.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island, 1st Nov.	Ati Maru ...	Wednesday, 21st, 8.45 A.M. Registration Letters 9.30 A.M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & S. Africa, Egypt, & EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 15th Nov.	Hector ...	Registration Letters 9.45 A.M. 10.30 A.M.
Wei Hai Wei	Eutchor ...	2.30 P.M.
Formosa	Fookwang ...	5.00 P.M.
Straits	Tjondari ...	Thursday, 22nd 11.30 A.M.

* Correspondence bearing vessel's name only.

COMMERCIAL.

OPENING QUOTATIONS.

October 17th, 1925.	
ON LONDON.—	
Telegraphic Transfer	2/5 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand	2/5 5/16
Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight	2/5 1/2
Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight	2/5 1/2
Credit, at 4 months' sight	2/5 1/2
Documentary Bills, 4 months' sight	2/5 1/2
ON PARIS.—	
Bank Bills, on demand	1/330
Credit, 4 months' sight	1/400
ON NEW YORK.—	
Bank Bills, on demand	59 1/2
Credit, at 30 days' sight	60 1/2
ON SHANGHAI.—	
Telegraphic Transfer	161
Bank Bills, on demand	161
ON HONGKONG.—	
Bank Bills, at sight	nom.
Credit, 30 days' sight	144
ON YOKOHAMA.—	
Bank Bills, on demand	117 1/2
ON MANILA.—	
Bank Bills, on demand	104
ON BATAVIA.—	
Bank Bills, on demand	144 1/2
ON SOERABAYA.—	
Bank Bills, on demand	nom.
ON SINGAPORE.—	
Bank Bills, on demand	nom.
ON BANGKOK.—	
Bank Bills, on demand	76 1/2
Sovereigns, Bank's Buying rate	\$3.00
Gold Leaf, 100 fine, per tola	82 1/2
Bar Silver, per oz.	82 1/2

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Head Office: Hongkong.

Authorized Capital	\$50,000,000
Issued and Fully Paid-up	\$50,000,000
Reserve Funds	\$1,000,000
Reserve	\$4,500,000
Silver	\$38,500,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors	\$30,000,000

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CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened in LOCAL CURRENCY and FIXED DEPOSITS received for one year or shorter periods in Local Currency and Sterling on terms which will be quoted on application.
Hongkong, 19th May, 1925. [35]

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For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
A. B. E. BLOW,
Ct. Manager.
Hongkong, 17th May, 1925. [3]

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INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1852.

HEAD OFFICE—LONDON.

Paid-up Capital	\$4,000,000
Reserve Fund	\$4,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors	\$2,950,000

FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking Business transacted.
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A. H. FERGUSON,
Manager.
Hongkong, April 15th, 1925. [30]

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A. BOLLIN,
Manager.
Hongkong, 12th July, 1924. [139]

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HEAD OFFICE: 15, Gracechurch Street, London, E.C. 3.

Authorized Capital	\$3,000,000
Subscribed Capital	\$1,800,000
Paid-up Capital	\$1,200,000
Reserve Fund	\$1,200,000

BANKERS:
THE BANK OF ENGLAND
AND
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BRANCHES:
Bangkok, Calcutta, Canton, Hongkong, Madras, Shanghai, Bombay, Hankow, New York, Rangoon, Calcutta, Penang, Singapore, Colombo, Karachi, Port Louis, Sourabaya, Delhi, Kota Bharu, (Malacca).

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Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts to 3 per cent. per annum on Daily Balance and on Fixed Deposits at Rates that may be ascertained on application.
J. B. ROSS,
Acting Manager.
7, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, April 17th, 1925. [29]

BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE.

PARIS.

HEAD OFFICE: 24 Boulevard Haussmann, P. 1.

Subscribed Capital Frs. 72,000,000.00

Paid-up Capital Frs. 52,400,000.00

Reserve Fund Frs. 59,977,553.14

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1st FRANCE: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, Credit Lyonnais, Banque de Paris et des Pays Bas, Credit Industriel et Commercial, Societe Generale.
2nd LONDON: The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd., Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, Credit Lyonnais.
3rd NEW YORK: J. P. Morgan & Co., French-American Banking Corporation, Guaranty Trust Co. of New York.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Every description of Banking and Exchange Business transacted.
A. LECOT,
Manager.
New York, 15th March 1925. [31]

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REGULAR AND FAST FREIGHT AND PASSENGER SERVICES.

LONDON SERVICE.

"HECTOR" 21st Oct. Marseilles, London, Rotterdam & Glasgow.
"CALCHAS" 3rd Nov. Marseilles, London, Rotterdam & Hamburg.
"SARPEDON" 18th Nov. Marseilles, London, Rotterdam & Glasgow.
"TROILUS" 1st Dec. Marseilles, London, Rotterdam & Hamburg.

LIVERPOOL SERVICE.

"JASON" 19th Oct. Genoa, Havre, Liverpool & Glasgow.
"AJAX" 1st Nov. Genoa, Havre, Liverpool & Glasgow.
"DIOMEDE" 12th Nov. Genoa, Marseilles, Havre, Liverpool & Glasgow.

PACIFIC SERVICE.

(via KOBE & YOKOHAMA).
"PHILOCTETES" 30th Oct. Victoria, Vancouver & Seattle.
"TYNDAROS" 21st Nov. Victoria, Vancouver & Seattle.

NEW YORK SERVICE.

"EURLIOCHUS" 19th Oct. Boston, New York & Baltimore via Suez.
"PYRRHUS" 19th Nov. Boston, New York & Baltimore via Suez.

PASSENGER SERVICE.

"HECTOR" 21st Oct. Singapore, Marseilles & London.
"SARPEDON" 18th Nov. Singapore, Marseilles & London.
"PATROCLUS" 16th Dec. Singapore, Marseilles & London.
"ANTENOR" 13th Jan. Singapore, Marseilles & London.
"HECTOR" 3rd Mar. Singapore, Marseilles & London.
"SARPEDON" 7th Apr. Singapore, Marseilles & London.

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